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BRITISH AND FRENCH GAINED GROUND AND REPULSED ATTEMPTS

General Haig's Men Captured Small Area Northwest of Bazentin-le-Petit, North of the Somme; French Troops Drove Germans From Part of Village of Fleury, East of Meuse

London, Aug. 18.—British troops made a small gain northwest of Bazentin-le-Petit, north of the Somme, last night, it was announced by the war office to-day. German trenches in that area were observed to have been greatly damaged by the British shells and full of dead Germans.

The German artillery became more active last night. The text of the statement follows:

"Last night the enemy's artillery generally showed increased activity. Northwest of Bazentin-le-Petit, by a small local enterprise we further extended our gains in the enemy's lines. German trenches in that area were found to be greatly damaged and full of enemy dead."

"A further hostile attack from Martinpuich last night was repulsed as completely as were the former German attempts yesterday."

German Admission.
Berlin, Aug. 18.—British forces and several French divisions launched an attack on the German lines north of the Somme and succeeded in driving back the German first line for a short distance on a narrow front southwest of Martinpuich, the war office announced to-day. In other sectors they were completely repulsed.

TURKS, BULGARIANS, DESIRE PEACE NOW

Certain Influential Persons Have Made Inquiries, but Not Governments Yet

Rome, Aug. 18.—Reports are coming from east, west, north and south concerning efforts by Turkey and Bulgaria to make a separate peace with the entente. However, the papers here warn the public not to put too much faith in such rumors, since, although there is a grain of truth in them, the governments of those countries have taken no direct steps to that end.

The fact seems to be that certain influential persons in both Turkey and Bulgaria have sounded representatives of Britain, France and Russia for the purpose of ascertaining if there were grounds on which Bulgaria and Turkey could arrange a separate peace with the entente, but that the representatives of the allied powers replied evasively, intimating that their governments could treat only with the responsible governments of Bulgaria and Turkey, and on the understanding that the countries desiring peace would acknowledge fully and without equivocation the complete victory of the entente powers.

GERMAN REPORT SAYS THE DEUTSCHLAND GOT TO BREMEN YESTERDAY

Geneva, Aug. 18.—A private telegram received to-day from Berlin by the Neue Zürcher Zeitung says that the German submarine Deutschland arrived safely yesterday at Bremen from the United States.

SEARCH FOR GERMAN PLOTTERS IN STATES

Kansas City, Aug. 18.—A plot to poison a big shipment of horses from Kansas City for the British government is being investigated by secret service officers of the Santa Fe and other roads which transported the horses to Newport News, where they were put aboard for England. For more than a month a great number of horses, although leaving Kansas City in perfect condition, have been arriving at Covington, Ky., the first stopping place, either ill or dead. Autopsies by British veterinarians disclosed arsenic poisoning.

More than 10,000 horses a month are leaving the Lathrop, Mo., concentration camp over the Santa Fe, and the work of the mysterious poisoners already has cost the British government more than \$100,000.

FRENCH AVIATORS RULING THE AIR

Reducing Effectiveness of German Guns on the Somme Front

**ARE DETERMINED TO
MAINTAIN SUPERIORITY**

**As Result of Operations French
Gunners Have Great
Advantage**

With the French Army on the Somme Front, Aug. 17.—Via London, Aug. 18.—Perhaps the clearest and most important advantage the allies have had in the offensive in the Somme region is the dominant superiority of their air service.

It was an essential part of the plan of the French general staff that this advantage should be gained at the outset, for the German, when he is driven out of the sky, is half blinded when the big guns commence their destructive cannonade of the German trenches.

Therefore, squadrons of aeroplanes were sent forward to bring down or drive back the German aviator and destroy their sausage observation balloons. Both sorts of raids were carried out with the utmost daring and success before the infantry advance began. The familiar drachen had been either destroyed or hurriedly hauled down and the once formidable German pilots dared not show their noses over the French lines. In five days, on the British and French fronts, fifteen captive balloons were destroyed. Meanwhile, the allies' other squadrons were ceaselessly engaged in their several tasks of bombardment or observation over the German positions.

Being Maintained.
That such an important advantage should be seized is comprehensible. It is more difficult to understand how it has been maintained. The German aviators do not lack courage, though they are less daring than the French. Many of the best German aviators have been killed, while others no doubt are being kept on the Russian front, for a war of movement requires air scouts more urgently than the siege warfare of the west. Whatever the explanation may be, the fact is beyond doubt.

At one point on the Somme plateau 23 French sausage balloons were counted, dragging at a height upon their cables, and only two that could be German, of which one was doubtful. French aeroplanes of all types came and went on their patrol duties with the freedom of pigeons over a farmyard, and if there was any combat in the air it did not take place over the French lines.

Wonderful Progress.
At one of their many aviation parks a party of correspondents was deeply impressed by the immense progress made during the war on every side of this enterprise, under the stimulus of military necessity and individual skill and pluck. The technique of the different types of aeroplanes and of their engines and machine guns is beyond a layman, but the handsome face of the captain who explained some of the mysteries of his squadron of baby Nieuports spoke volumes on the subject.

It was a picture of intelligence and physical fitness as Guynemeyer swept from the clouds to the ground. He looked sallow from the bitter cold of the height of two miles and running at the rate of 100 miles an hour, but there is a lot of nervous strength in the almost girlish figure, and a swift certitude of the eye and hand that are exceptional.

Lack Air Control.
Some able French writers have been warning their countrymen during the last few days that the Germans are bound to attempt soon a counter-offensive in the west. Even if it should prove as costly as the ill-starred adventure against Verdun, this is perfectly sound advice. With three-fifths of the German armies nailed down before the French trenches, they must at least expect powerful local attacks. But setting aside the question of their exhausted reserves, one does not see how they can attempt anything like a large offensive without first winning back at least an equality in the air, and of that there is no present prospect, at least in Picardy and Somme.

MAJ.-GENERAL HUGHES CROSSED TO FRANCE FROM ENG. YESTERDAY

Montreal, Aug. 18.—The Gazette's correspondent in London cables: "Major General Sir Sam Hughes crossed to France on Thursday accompanied by Major General Lord Brooks, Lord Rothermere, Sir Max Aitken and Major Bassett. The party was carried across in a destroyer. "The minister will arrive at the front at an important moment for the Canadian corps, and he will have an opportunity of seeing the troops which he reviewed recently in England."

Belgians Have Taken Karema, on Tanganyika in German E. Africa

Havre, Aug. 18.—A brigade of Belgian troops has captured and occupied the port of Karema, on the eastern bank of Lake Tanganyika, in German East Africa, says an official Belgian announcement.

Karema is about 125 miles south of Ujiji and only slightly farther south of the terminus on Lake Tanganyika of the railway which extends across the middle of German East Africa from the ocean.

PORTUGUESE WAR MINISTER STATES FORCES OF REPUBLIC WILL GO INTO FIELD ALONGSIDE ENTENTE ARMIES

Makes Same Statement as President of Country Which Has Honored and Will Continue to Honor Ancient Alliance With Britain; Govt. Taking Stock of Military Resources and Will Throw Army Into Arena in France at Specified Moment

Lisbon, Aug. 18.—Major Norton Mattoz, the Portuguese minister of war, announced to-day that Portugal soon will participate more actively in the war, sharing in the operations of the entente forces.

This announcement followed a statement to the same effect by President Machado on Wednesday. The president said that the government was taking thorough stock of the country's available military and naval resources with a view of not only further strengthening Portugal's ancient alliance with Britain, but with the idea of becoming a considerable factor in the broader arrangements of the entente, and that while Portugal's participation thus far had been confined to the operations in East Africa, Portugal now was asked to help with the campaign on the western European front. He declared that Portugal was ready to undertake whatever measures might be necessary to convince the entente of the country's sincerity of purpose.

"Our troops will take the field in France at the precise moment the British, French and Portuguese general staffs decide it is necessary to exert the maximum pressure," he said.

The Portuguese congress voted to

MR. WILSON THINKS GERMANS KEEP WORD

Despite British Government's Information Fancies Submarine Pledge Being Kept

Washington, Aug. 18.—Secretary Lansing announced to-day that official inquiry had "contradicted European reports that Germany was violating her pledge to the United States regarding submarine attacks."

A dispatch from London stated that when Baron Sydenham asked in the House of Lords last Tuesday whether the government considered that Germany was keeping its pledge to the United States regarding submarine warfare and whether Austrian submarines were bound by the same pledge, the Marquis of Crewe, lord president of the council, replied that the government had information that since the German government gave its pledge to the United States last May, four British and three neutral ships had been sunk without warning by submarines, almost certainly German submarines, and that another neutral vessel had been attacked by torpedoes. Forty lives had been lost when the seven vessels were sunk.

He added that it was impossible to escape the conclusion that Germany was violating her pledge to the United States.

LIBERAL CAMPAIGN

The three Liberal candidates, JOHN HART, GEORGE BELL and H. C. HALL and others will address the electors at JONES' HALL, corner of Hillside and Cedar Hill Road, on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1916, AT 8 P.M.

LADIES CORDIALLY INVITED

LOAN IN U. STATES TO BRITAIN ALREADY IS A GREAT SUCCESS

New York, Aug. 18.—Syndicate participations in the new \$250,000,000 loan to Britain were so large, according to statements of managers, as to cause a closing of the subscription books to-day. The books for public subscriptions will not be opened until next week, but it is said that applications in large numbers already have been received.

WILHELM'S SON WOUNDED.

Paris, Aug. 18.—The German Crown Prince, wounded in the leg and head by splinters from a bursting shell, is under treatment at a hospital, according to a dispatch received to-day from Zurich.

EFFORT OF ENEMY TO PUT BACK RUSSIANS IN GALICIA FAILURE

Has Resulted Only in Great Losses; Village Five Miles Southwest of Stanislaw Taken by Czar's Troops; Russians Captured Crest of the Carpathians in Region of Korosmezo

Petrograd, Aug. 18.—The effort of the Austro-Germans to throw back the Russian forces in Galicia has resulted in great losses and met with no success, the war office announced to-day. Russian troops have pressed forward in several sectors.

The text of the statement follows: "On the front of the Zlota Lipa west of Podhajce, the enemy resumed the offensive with considerable force, without success. The enemy sustained great losses."

NAVY YARD MEN RETURN TO WORK

Grievance Removed as the Result of Negotiations Between Interested Parties

WHOLE SITUATION HAS MUCH BRIGHTER OUTLOOK

Following a conference between representatives of the men and naval officials all the navy yard employees returned to work to-day.

The nature of the agreement arrived at has not been disclosed, but it is understood that certain workmen employed on one of his majesty's ships now undergoing an extensive refit at Esquimaux, have been removed, and as this was the sole grievance of the strikers nothing barred the way to an amicable settlement. At a largely attended meeting of the dockyard workmen yesterday afternoon the various issues were fully discussed and a resolution was unanimously passed to the effect that the men were willing to return to work provided all non-union labor was eliminated from the job. Although little information is available regarding the subsequent negotiations, the fact that the men returned to work this morning without further trouble is taken to mean that the men's demands in this respect were granted.

The return of the navy yard men has no bearing on the situation as affecting the men who are on strike at the Yarrow plant. Efforts are being made by the board of trade to bring about a settlement of the dispute and proposals have been formulated, which if accepted by the workmen, will bring about a complete settlement of the outstanding issues.

Another special meeting of the board of trade was called for 4 o'clock this afternoon, representatives of the men and employers to attend.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER IS SUFFERING AGAIN; TREATMENT NECESSARY

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier is suffering a recurrence of his old trouble with his teeth and will have to undergo dental and medical treatment. The Liberal leader had planned to address a number of meetings in Ontario and Quebec during the latter part of August and September, but all engagements have been cancelled.

TWO MORE PROTESTS FROM UNITED STATES

Washington, Aug. 18.—Secretary Lansing announced to-day that a protest had been made to Great Britain in the case of merchandise from San Francisco taken off the steamship Chinese Prince by British authorities at Penang. He indicated that similar action would be taken in the Kafus case.

A GERMAN STATEMENT.

Berlin, Aug. 18.—An official statement on the operations on the eastern front issued to-day records no operations of major importance. It says: "Apart from a minor but lively engagement west of Lake Nobel (50 miles northeast of Kovle), which has not yet come to a conclusion, only unimportant advance post encounters took place."

"On the river Bystritsa-Solotvina we occupied Lyslets (five miles southwest of Stanislaw) on the western bank of the river. In the direction of Ardeus our troops occupied a series of heights."

"In the region of Korosmezo (Carpathians) our troops, continuing their advance, approached the summits of the mountains in the vicinity of Korosmezo."

"On the Caucasus front the Turkish offensive in the region west of Lake Van was repulsed easily by our troops. In Persia, in the region of Kala Pasova, encounters took place with considerable Turkish forces."

Korosmezo is a town on the Hungarian side of the Carpathians, lying on the Tisza river about five miles southwest of the Jablonitz Pass. The forces which are advancing in that direction are the forces which captured the town of Jablonitz, a few miles northeast of the Jablonitz Pass, about a week ago. When they have reached Korosmezo they will have crossed the Carpathians and be in Hungarian territory.

DRIVE OF ALLIES IS LOGICAL OFFENSIVE

French Staff Captain Points to Extension of Front Under Attack

Paris, Aug. 18.—"As a result of the most recent successes," said a French staff captain who arrived in Paris this morning from the Somme front, "Guillemon and Maurepas are under the fire of the allies' guns from three sides. Their capture is now merely a question of time and artillery preparation."

"Since July 20 we in three days gained ground over two miles in depth on a four-mile front north of the Somme, and that at a cost absolutely trifling compared with what the Germans paid for their gains near Verdun. "Just examine the battlefield and you will see that we have steadily widened it since the beginning. That does not look as if the offensive had broken down, but that on the contrary it is ever growing toward full development. The difference from previous attempts is that this is a logical offensive. We aim at nothing we cannot reach. Always we make certain of our hold before advancing farther."

Heavily Built.
Already between Maurepas and Clercy we are tackling fortifications hastily constructed to link up strong points d'appui of the German third line. It is evident we are piercing the first and the second. Such trenches are far less defensible than the armored labyrinthine formations the previous lines. Moreover, the penetration of the weaker point enabled us to work around the strong ones like Guillemon and Maurepas, until we can batter them to pieces before assaulting with infantry.

"We know the method now. Success has become a matter of artillery hammering and teamwork."

"Thus, our latest advance bound was preceded by two days' of the most tremendous bombardment I have ever heard. Verdun did not compare with it. And you must remember that mastery of the air lets us know the exact targets, while the German gunners are practically blindfolded."

The captain, who took part in the assault beyond the Maurepas-Clercy road, added: "It is difficult at many places even to distinguish where the German trenches have been, and as good a fighter as the Boche has shown himself to be, you do not find him making desperate resistance in these shellholes, as our men did near Verdun. Once the shells and quickfiring have been demolished, the Germans throw up the sponge readily enough."

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WINNIPEG BANK CLEARINGS.

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—The bank clearings here for the week ended yesterday were \$24,622,632. The clearings for the corresponding week in 1915 were \$14,419,492, and in 1914, \$19,694,151.

MONTREAL BANK CLEARINGS.

Montreal, Aug. 18.—The bank clearings here for the week ended yesterday were \$65,985,661. Last year the clearings were \$52,232,175.

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KING GEORGE HONORS BRAVE FRENCH GIRL

Confers Military Medal Upon Mlle. Moreau for Her Great Bravery

Paris, Aug. 18.—The presentation by Lord Bertie, the British ambassador, of the British military medal to Mlle. Mathilde Moreau, for bravery on the battlefield, and also of the silver medal of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, was the occasion for a simple but moving ceremony at the British embassy.

"Mademoiselle," said Lord Bertie, "though you could have remained in security under the enemy's fire, you preferred to play the part of a heroine. Amid a violent bombardment and intense fusillade you did not cease for 24 hours to assist in the transport of our wounded to your house and to attend them devotedly. For your heroic conduct the king has conferred upon you the military medal, of which only 2,000 have been conferred during the war, and the commander-in-chief of the British army in France has asked me to present it to you."

Lord Bertie then placed the two medals on the breast of the girl, who timidly expressed her thanks, and then took from her pocket the French war cross, which she placed beside those she had just received.

The girl, who was in deep mourning, left the embassy as modestly as she had arrived, the ambassador escorting her to the entrance steps.

Mlle. Moreau earned for herself the titles of "The Heroine of Loos" and "The Joan of Arc of the North" by her conspicuous bravery during the battles of last autumn of the French war. She was cited in the orders of the day and awarded the Croix de Guerre, for killing three Germans with hand grenades and two more with a British officer's revolver. Gen. Sir Douglas Haig, her heroism at the time, and in November last the French decoration was publicly conferred on her by General de Sallat at Versailles when he said to her: "You do honor to the women of France." Mlle. Moreau has earned the gratitude of her countrymen by the

B. C. PRESS ASSOCIATION FORMED AT VANCOUVER

Publishers Decide All Interests Can Be Served Best Through Such Body.

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—An organization which will react to the mutual benefit of the public and the newspaper publishers in this province came into being yesterday afternoon at the Exhibition Grounds, when the British Columbia branch of the Canadian Press Association was formed. Officers were elected, a constitution drafted, and other details in connection with the launching of the new association were dealt with. The honor of being president of the youngest provincial press association in Canada falls to R. Sutherland, of the Nelson News, who was made chief officer amid much enthusiasm.

The association set to work without delay on several matters of vital importance to the organization and to the general public. It is likely that an increase will be made in subscription rates in many instances, owing to the marked advance in the price of paper and other essentials in the production of a newspaper. This will be done with a view to standardizing subscription rates throughout the province.

It was the feeling of the meeting that it was desirable that all British Columbia affiliations with the Alberta Press Association be transferred to the branch association of this province, and application will be made to the central body, with the attainment of that end in view.

John Nelson, of the Vancouver World, was in the chair when the meeting was called to order, and acted in that capacity till the permanent president was chosen.

Besides the president, the following officers were elected: First vice-president, F. E. Simpson, of The Kamloops Sentinel; second vice-president, Hugh Savage, of The Cowichan Leader, Duncan; secretary-treasurer, F. J. Burde, of The Vancouver Province. The executive consists of the above mentioned officers and R. Dunn, of The Victoria Times; G. H. Sawie, of The Okanagan Herald, New Hazelton, and L. J. Ball, of The Vernon News.

The next meeting of the newly formed branch will be held in Victoria.

Hon. T. C. Norris, premier of Manitoba, was present at a banquet given the publishers by the directors of the exhibition last night.

DODGE BY BOWSER FORESHADOWS FALL

At Nelson Mr. Brewster and A. M. Johnson Expose Falsehood About Telegram

Nelson, Aug. 18.—"This is not the first time our political opponents have resorted to forged telegrams in an effort to gain votes," said A. M. Johnson, Liberal candidate in Nelson, at the great mass meeting held in the opera house last night. The remark was induced by Premier Bowser's allegation that a telegram had been sent by Mr. Johnson after a public denial that such a message had been sent, and the branding of the premier as a fabulist was received with resounding cheers by the audience.

A few evenings ago, on the strength of a report of the premier's speech in a government paper, Mr. Brewster said at a meeting in the Boundary district that he had never received any such message nor any message at all from Mr. Johnson from the by-elections until that day. The premier's statement at his meeting here was that on March 14 Mr. Johnson, so hastily that he did not put the Liberal leader's initials to the message, wired: "For heaven's sake force dissolution of the House to-night or we will never win the election."

He repeated it.

A few nights later he repeated this at Kaslo, when John Keen, Liberal candidate there, told the premier his statement had been publicly denied.

Speaking last night, Mr. Johnson said:

"When Mr. Bowser made that statement here I shook my head and treated it as a joke, but we find the premier repeating his false statement in other places. It would have been presumption on my part to have sent such a telegram to the leader of our party. I never sent Mr. Brewster any telegram in my life except one of congratulation on his election, and another in connection with his visit to us to-night. When John Keen reminded Mr. Bowser in Kaslo that I had denied the statement, the premier did not take it back."

"If Mr. Bowser dares to come on this platform and repeat his assertion that I sent such a telegram as he alleges, I am going to call him a name, and I am going to ask my friends to brand him with a name that is not fit to speak among the women in this audience." (Cheers and a vote, "That's what he is.")

Campaign of Slander.

Mr. Johnson referred to the general campaign of lies and slander being conducted by the premier and his supporters. He dealt with the antagonism shown by Hon. Lorne Campbell's power company to the interests of Nelson, and other local instances which tend to show the party unfriendly to the Bowser government.

Dr. W. O. Rose, Bowser candidate in Nelson, repeated the claim that the opposition had found nothing to prove the present government the most corrupt in Canadian history. His declaration that the progressive policy of the government commended itself to the people was received with one loud and feeble "hear, hear."

T. L. Bloomer, Independent and Labor candidate, admitted that the Liberal members of the House had helped the passage of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Mr. Macdonald.

M. A. Macdonald, who is well known in this part of the country, was given an ovation and he made one of the best speeches of the many he has delivered on this tour. He took up Dr. Rose's expression as to the result of the session's inquiries and declared amid cheers that there were 20 additional reasons at the present time for saying that the Bowser administration was the most corrupt administration in Canada.

To take one illustration out of a score, what was more corrupt than for the attorney general to be solicitor for corporations dealing with the crown? Mr. Bowser had looked after the interests of his clients, the P.G.E., by permitting them to get \$5,000,000 they were not entitled to, and not after the interests of the province. More than that, he had trafficked in public resources unfairly and dishonestly. Mr. Macdonald cited that recent example of graft and patronage in connection with the Vancouver school board supplies, and asked if Dr. Rose approved of this.

"Oh, no," that gentleman replied. "Does Mr. Bowser approve of it?" "Apparently he does. Does Mr. Rose approve of the public affront put upon this province by the premier when he sends this man Welsh, with that stain upon him, to England to manipulate the votes cast by the gallant fellows on active service?"

There was no reply from Dr. Rose to this, but cries of "Shame" from the audience showed what they thought of the affront.

Mr. Brewster.

Mr. Brewster remarked of the latest "forged telegram" that he understood Nelson Conservatives looked upon it as a joke, but news of its repetition as a statement of fact came to him from many places.

The only telegrams he had got from Mr. Johnson were those mentioned by that gentleman.

I don't know whether Premier Bowser desires to contribute to charity," added the leader, "but I am willing to forfeit \$50 if he can find a copy of any such message in any office in British Columbia." (Cheers.)

Dealing with provincial finances, Mr. Brewster remarked that no other province had as miserable a set of books kept or paid as much for that inefficient accounting.

Mr. Brewster referred to the government advertising which is being carried by government newspapers, and in which he is described as "a smooth-bore nonentity." This was the sort of thing which was being made to pass muster for argument by the discredited and untruthful Bowser party.

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Instances of deliberate misstatement by the premier before, during, and since the session, were given by the leader as showing the depths to which a desperate man, intoxicated with the desire for power, would descend.

Dr. N. W. Wetherston was in the chair, and there was an immense audience present. A couple of pipers escorted the speakers from the Hume hotel to the opera house.

To-day the party left for Kaslo, to speak in the interests of that veteran of Liberalism in the Kootenays, John Keen, who was on the platform last night.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. A. E. Pesbette, Sangudo, Alta.

Died of wounds—Pte. Arthur Tarchell, England.

Dangerously ill—Pte. Wm. Crox, Scotland.

Seriously ill—Pte. H. T. Owens, Woodville, Ont.

Wounded—Pte. W. J. Bradford, Star City, Sask.; Pte. Chas. Cortman, Ontario; Pte. Herbert Hallam, Toronto; Pte. Henry McIlwain, Metchuck, Alta.; Pte. John McCormick, Star, Ont.; Pte. D. R. Bovill, England; Pte. M. Broadway, England; Pte. Geo. Collard, England; Pte. Chas. O'Brien, Scotland; Pte. Jas. Ruark, Scotland; Pte. Fred Welch, England; Pte. Claude Wiseman, Scotland; Pte. Thomas Wolfenden, Montreal.

Mounted Rifles.

Wounded—Pte. Joseph Fallard, Toronto.

Artillery.

Wounded—Gnr. T. McDonald, Boleston, N. B.; Sgt. Donald Morrison, Florence, C. B.; Gnr. E. McLaughlin, Kingston, Ont.; Gnr. Geo. H. Woodcock, Cobourg, Ont.

Engineers.

Killed in action—Cpl. Wm. E. B. Apper, 886 Queen's avenue, Victoria, B. C.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoner of war—Sapper Thomas Williams, England.

Wounded—Sapper Jos. Singleton, England; Driver Maurice W. Carden, Vancouver, B. C.

Mounted Services.

Killed in action—Pte. I. Douglas, Toronto.

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. A. C. Cys, Shipigan, N. B.; Pte. Albert Keen, Toronto; Pte. Perley Graham, River Lake, N. B.; Pte. R. Larocque, Montreal.

Died of wounds—Pte. Sam Bridgen, Bradford; Pte. Ernest Forsythe, Greenwell, N. S.; Lieut. J. E. Kennedy, Quebec; Pte. A. J. Lewis, Calgary; Sgt. Geo. Milne, Belwood, Ont.; Pte. L. B. Sanderson, Sydney, N. S.; Pte. John Urquhart, Stellan, N. S.

Previously reported missing; now killed in action—Pte. J. Macdowell, Hamilton.

Artillery.

Wounded—Gnr. B. Catchpole, Matzie, B. C.; Gnr. K. K. Cavel, Yarmouth, N. S.

Infantry.

Previously reported missing; now believed killed in action—Pte. H. Holmes, Toronto.

Previously reported missing; now officially reported died while prisoner—Pte. Lewis Davis, Winnipeg.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported died while prisoner of war—Pte. G. H. Main, Renfrew, Ont.

Missing—Lieut. W. E. Dunne, Quebec.

Seriously ill—Pte. C. H. Connors, Oshawa, Ont.

Wounded—Pte. Arthur Blais, England; Pte. E. C. Burgess, Southampton, Ont.; Pte. J. S. Brown, Winnipeg; Pte. E. R. Healey, Toronto; Pte. Joseph Jones, Eggenville, Ont.; Pte. A. J. Jones, Eggenville, Ont.; Pte. G. W. Manshup, Cape Tormentine, N. B.; Cpl. John Pollock, Ladysmith, B. C.; Pte. Sam Redpath, Winnipeg; Pte. A. E. Vannatter, Dorchester, Mass.; Pte. Frank Walker, St. John, N. B.; Capt. J. P. Walsh, Westmount, Que.; Pte. Chas. Welch, Galt, Ont.; Pte. Claude Young, St. Andrews, N. B.

Mounted Rifles.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoner of war—Cpl. H. C. Derby, Toronto; Pte. Frank McKenney, Farrisboro, N. S.; Pte. Matthews Rae, Unionville, Ont.

Wounded—Pte. J. W. Dickson, Calgary; Pte. L. C. Fawcett, Winnipeg.

CHINESE VERSION OF CLASH WITH JAPANESE

Peking, Aug. 18.—Chinese officials assert that the clash on August 12 at Cheng Chintun between Japanese and Chinese soldiers was caused by the resistance of Japanese arms peddlers whom the Chinese endeavored to expel from Mongolia to prevent them from selling weapons to Mongolian outlaws. The right of Japanese troops to enter Mongolia is denied by the officials.

The casualties in the encounter totaled 50 among the Chinese and 5 among the Japanese, 10 of the Japanese having been killed.

The first visit paid by Baron Hasegawa, the new Japanese minister at Peking, to the Chinese foreign office was for the purpose of discussing the Cheng Chintun affair.

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BELATED AUSTRIAN REPORT VIA BERLIN

Berlin, Aug. 18.—Heavy attacks by Italian forces east and southeast of Gorizia were reported in an Austrian official statement of August 15, received here to-day, which declared, however, that the Austrian defence held along the entire front. The statement said:

"The Italians continued their attacks on the front from Salsano to Merna and against the heights east of Gorizia and the sector southeast of Vipava as far as Ljubica, assaulting unintercepted by large masses while holding the adjoining sectors under strong artillery fire. Our troops repulsed all the storming attacks and held their positions along the entire front, inflicting heavy losses, after violent hand-to-hand fighting.

"Hostile advances near Plava and Capor and on the Dolomite front, on Croda Delancona, were repulsed."

COST TO STATES OF MEXICAN SITUATION

Washington, Aug. 18.—A recommendation of the majority members of the Senate finance committee for a \$100,000,000 bond issue to meet extraordinary government expenditures due to the Mexican situation was before congress to-day. This amount, it is explained, would meet Mexican expenditures only until the end of the calendar year and, should border conditions continue as at present after December 31 next a further appropriation of \$50,000,000 would be required.

The committee recommendation, which is concurred in by the treasury department, was laid before the Senate last night in its report of the \$300,000,000 revenue bill. It was accompanied by a treasury department statement, which estimated disbursements for the fiscal year 1917 at \$1,128,343,000 and receipts at \$762,000,000.

AT WINCHESTER PLANT.

New Haven, Conn., Aug. 18.—When the regular day force went into the Winchester Repeating Firearms Company's plant to-day there was no evidence of accessions to the ranks of machinists and metal workers who struck yesterday for a 3-hour day. Organizers of the machinists' international union claimed last night to have taken out 2,500 men. The company said that not over 100 men had left their work.

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LESS MEAT NOW FOR FIGHTING GERMANS

London, Aug. 18.—The German military establishment has brought down its meat allowance for the fighting troops on the front line to 16.5 ounces per man for six days in the week. On the seventh day no meat can be served or eaten. For troops not of the front line the six days' meat ration is only 7.7 ounces.

This information, disclosing for the first time the cutting down of the food supply of the fighting soldiers of Germany, was contained in an order issued to the 14th German reserve corps by its commander, General von Stein, on May 31 last, a copy of which came into the possession of British troops in France two weeks ago.

The order was found on a captured German officer. Subsequently to the issuance of this order another was issued, dated July 6, calling upon troop commanders to report back to headquarters how their men had taken the cutting down of their rations.

I. T. U. NEXT YEAR.

Baltimore, Aug. 18.—By a unanimous vote the committee here of the International Typographical Union selected Colorado Springs, Colo., as the place of the 1917 convention. Scranton, Pa., led the field for 1918.

The convention rejected a proposal from the Montreal union that there be created the office of fourth vice-president for Canada, elected from the Canadian membership. Arguments against election of officers by sections prevailed, however.

The proposition to increase the death benefit from \$400 to \$500 also was voted down. In the debate it was brought out that 500 Canadian members are "in the trenches and may never get out."

MAGNESIA FOR DYSPEPTICS

Why Physicians Prefer It To Drugs.

"Only those in constant touch with sufferers from indigestion and dyspepsia can fully realize the harm done by the improper use of drugs and artificial stimulants," remarked a well-known New York physician recently. Personally, I rarely advocate the use of drugs in the treatment of digestive or stomach troubles, for in practically every instance I have proved the underlying cause to be excessive acidity of the stomach and consequent fermentation or souring of the food contents.

"Therefore, in place of the once widely used drugs I invariably recommend the use of bisulphated magnesia to neutralize the stomach acidity and stop the food fermenting, and the wonderful results I have obtained during the past three years convince me there is no finer treatment for indigestion, dyspepsia, etc. It must, of course, be clearly understood that I do not employ or advise the use of such forms of magnesia as citrates, acetates, carbonates, sulphates, etc. These might often do more harm than good; nothing but pure bisulphated magnesia should be used to neutralize an acid stomach. This is not at all difficult to obtain—in fact, I find that most druggists now keep the genuine bisulphated magnesia in tablet form in addition to the ordinary bisulphated powder. A teaspoonful of the powder or two compressed tablets taken with a little water after meals will usually be found quite sufficient to instantly neutralize the acidity and prevent food fermentation, thereby insuring painless and rapid digestion for even chronic sufferers."

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INFANTILE PARALYSIS EPIDEMIC IN STATES

Conditions in And Around City of
Chicago; Conference at Wash-
ington Continues.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—Eighty known cases of infantile paralysis have been received at the Cook County and Du-rand hospitals in Chicago since July 1, it was announced to-day. An average of three patients a day is being re-ceived at the county hospitals and emergency preparations are being made to receive a much greater number.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Public health experts from 38 states, continuing their meeting with the federal public health service here to-day, drew up a code of regulations for combatting a further spread of infantile paralysis by inter-state travel, and developed methods for co-operating in study of the causes and treatment of the disease.

Care of what the health officials termed the "wreckage" of the epidemic, the crippled children who survive, was discussed at to-day's conference. Treatment of all victims in state in-stitutions at state expense was recommended by Doctors Albert, of Iowa; Carr, of Nebraska; Porter, of Florida, and others. In Iowa's state hospital, Dr. Albert said, remarkable results in curing children crippled by the plague had been attained. Dr. D. N. Roberg, of Oregon, urged that the public health service take steps to curb activities of medical imposters. He said they were gaining a strong foot-hold in the west.

"The pitiful fact of infantile paral-ysis is the slow progress of treatment of its victims," said Assistant Surgeon-general Rucker. "Parents become dis-couraged, leave good physicians and go to quacks who advertise 'cure paral-ysis.' They go from quack to quack until their resources and chances of improving the child are gone."

A report of a conference committee recommending a system of uniform collection and dissemination of statis-tical information regarding paralysis was adopted.

New York, Aug. 18.—The health de-partment reported only a slight change in the epidemic of infantile paralysis to-day. The new cases during the 24 hours ended at 10 a. m. to-day number 125 and the deaths 22, as against 121 cases and 22 deaths yesterday.

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SUGGESTS BRITAIN SOOTHE THE STATES

Manchester Guardian Thinks
Policy Should Be Directed
to Preserve Friendship

London, Aug. 18.—Various in-fluences, particularly England's policy toward Ireland, are arousing suspi-cion and resentment in the United States, says the Manchester Guardian in a long editorial to-day. These facts can-not be ignored, it asserts, for the ac-tive co-operation of the United States will be necessary if a lasting peace is to be brought about by a league of the "liberal" pacific powers of the world.

The Guardian suggests that the British orders-in-council, the censor-ship, the blacklist and interference with neutral mails have tended in some degree to alienate American sym-pathy from Great Britain and her al-lies, and continues:

"But these matters are comparative-ly unimportant in days such as these, and if there were nothing else to be considered we would be justified in concluding that there was no reason to anticipate any serious change in Anglo-American relations."

Referring to American expressions of opinion in regard to the resolutions adopted at the economic conference of the entente powers at Paris, at which consideration was given to various proposals, especially regarding tariff changes, which provoked wide com-ment in the United States, the Guar-dian says:

"There is no doubt that the suspi-cion here implied is injuriously af-fecting the cause of the allies in the United States and these circumstances should not be overlooked in our calcu-lations for the future. But above all other influences working against us in the United States is the memory of the Irish revolt."

When the cabinet resisted the first impulse toward clemency, the Guar-dian continues, it forgot the immense and troublesome fact of Irish-America and for that lapse of statesmanship there would seem to be no hope of a speedy remedy. It adds:

"The reign of Sir John Maxwell at Dublin has made an end, perhaps, for years to come, of all hope of recon-ciling that large element in the United States until with the Home Rule act we begin to redeem the past in Ireland, which had been by tradition and practice irreconcilable. One of our greatest assets when the war broke out was the cordial neutrality of American power made possible by the restraint and somewhat reluctant sym-pathy of the American Irish. That we sacrificed, and the loss is likely to color the politics and behavior of the United States until such time as a complete change can be brought about in our Irish policy."

"We can not ignore this fact, much as we may regret it, for the active co-operation of the United States is an essential condition to any such league of the liberal pacific powers of the world as alone can give us an assurance of stable peace."

DETROIT ROBBERY.

Detroit, Aug. 18.—The Detroit News to-day printed a statement by Miss Jessie Nollie, a stenographer, declaring that the robbers who looted the pay-car of the Burroughs Adding Machine Company of \$32,000 or more on August 4, hid the cash in local rooming houses and escaped with their loot last Satur-day. Miss Nollie said she knew one of the alleged bandits.

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BRITISH MADE GAIN; REPULSED ATTACKS

Enemy Failed North of
Somme; French, Italian
and Russian Reports

London, Aug. 18.—The following of-ficial statement was issued last night: "On our right, north of the Somme, there was considerable artillery activity all day. Last night and early this morning the enemy delivered a series of determined counter-attacks on our trenches northwest of Pozieres, on a broad front and with considerable forces. Six times his infantry attempted to advance to the attack, but ran back, suffering heavy losses. Our large guns and machine guns did great execution. In no case did he succeed in entering our lines."

"Northwest of Bazentin-le-Petit we captured about 100 yards of trenches. A counter-attack made by the enemy to-day from Martinpuich was repulsed, and some prisoners were captured by us."

"A German aeroplane was brought down behind our lines near Pozieres." French Report.

Paris, Aug. 18.—The following of-ficial statement was issued last night: "On the Somme front our artillery was active to-day and carried out numerous destructive bombardments against enemy organizations. There has been no infantry action."

"The number of unwounded pris-oners taken north of the Somme yester-day exceeds 200. We also captured five machine guns."

"There has been the usual cannonade on the rest of the front."

Italian Report.

Rome, Aug. 18.—The following of-ficial statement was issued last night: "On the lower Isonzo our artillery and trench mortars were active against the enemy's lines. We re-pulsed an attack on the Carso plateau, taking 100 prisoners, including four of-ficers."

"In the Tolmino region our batteries shelled the Santa Lucia railway station, where movements of trains were reported."

"On the Trentino front there was great activity by the Austrian bat-teries in the upper Cordevole, and on the Tonizza plateau, to which we re-pulsed effectively."

"Our aeroplanes bombarded the railway station at Reichenberg, on the Gorizia-Trieste line, with good results. All of our machines returned safely."

"Last night enemy machines dropped bombs on Venice. They caused but slight damage and there were no casualties."

Russian Report.

Petrograd, Aug. 18.—The following official statement was issued last night:

"The situations on the western and Caucasian fronts are unchanged."

Austrian Claims.

Vienna, Aug. 18.—Massed Russian attacks against the lines of General von Boehm-Ermolli between Peraplin-ska and Piniski were repulsed by Aus-trian troops, according to a state-ment issued by the war office last evening.

"For twelve hours yesterday the Russians endeavored in vain to pene-trate the Austrian entanglements. Near Manajoa Russian troops pene-trated our trenches, but were driven out," the statement says. "The suc-cessful defence is due to the excellent German and Austrian batteries."

FRENCH GEN. PRAISES AMERICAN AMBULANCES

Paris, Aug. 18.—Section 7 of the American ambulance field service is cited by Gen. Mangin in an army corps order just issued for its services to the division of the French army to which it is attached. This portion of the order reads:

"This section of the American am-bulance field service has shown for more than 20 months a complete spirit of sacrifice, and has rendered great services to the division to which it is attached, in assuring the removal of wounded under best conditions. There is not one of its members who is not a model of coolness and abnegation. A number of them have been wounded."

ARMENIANS STILL SUFFER TERRIBLY

Almost Incredible Hardships
Imposed on Refugees in
Northern Arabia

Boston, Aug. 18.—A statement de-scribing the hardships suffered by Ar-menian refugees in northern Arabia was made public to-day by Rev. Dr. James L. Barton, chairman of the American committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief. Dr. Barton said, the statement came, from an eyewitness not an American and could be de-pended upon as unexaggerated.

"In every tent," the eyewitness said, "there are sick and dying. Many hundreds of the sick are left without any tent or covering. I saw desperate ones throw themselves in grave trenches and beg the grave diggers to bury them."

"The government does not give the hungry any bread."

"In Sepka a preacher from Aintab told me that parents had often killed their children. At the government in-vestigation it was shown that some people had eaten their children."

FACTS ABOUT END OF A NEPHEW OF WILHELM

Prince Maximilian Was Buried
in a Cheap Coffin in
Hazebruck

Paris, Aug. 18.—The circumstances of the death and mysterious disap-pearance of the body of Prince Maxi-milian of Hesse, whose relatives in-voiced the aid of the pope in an effort to obtain this information, are dis-closed by a writer in the Petit Paris-ien. The writer asserts that the prince was shot in the groin during an engagement between a Saxon de-tachment and a British patrol near Godewaersvelde, in northern France, early in the war. The prince was found by Trappist monks and taken to their monastery, where he died soon after.

The monks were ordered to evacuate the monastery and Father Bernard, visiting the cloister on the following day, found the body of the prince was missing.

Later the prince's family appealed to the pope to obtain information as to the disposition of his body, but without success. The writer in the Petit Parisien says the body reposes in a humble cemetery in Hazebruck, that it was kept two days in a house there, was interred once, but exhumed at night and finally buried in a coffin costing 30 francs advanced by a poor man out of pity.

Prince Maximilian was 20 years old, the son of the youngest sister of Kaiser Wilhelm. Previously it had been stated that he had been fatally wounded in an engagement on October 12, 1914, and that the body had been buried in a monastery. He was a sub-lieutenant in an infantry regiment and was a nephew of Alexander Frederick, the landgrave of Hesse, the second and non-reigning branch of the Hesse family.

HEAT WAVE COMES IN MIDDLE STATES

Chicago, Aug. 18.—Extensive air dis-turbances in the northwest, involving a low barometric pressure and aided by southern winds to-day sent an-other hot wave over the entire middle west. The maximum temperature for the most sections between the Rocky Mountains and the Alleghenies varied between 45 and 100 degrees, of-ficials of the weather bureau said.

The weather will be cooler in about the Dakotas to-night, but there is no relief in sight for Chicago and vicinity before Sunday, and possibly not then.

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COPPER IN THE FAR NORTH OF CANADA

An American Authority's Com-
ment on Discovery Made by
Stefansson Party

New York, Aug. 18.—The discovery by the Canadian Arctic expedition, headed by Vilhjalmur Stefansson, of a great field of native copper in the vicinity of the Copper Mine river, in the neighborhood of Prince Albert Land, will prove of great value to the busi-ness world, says Dr. Chester A. Reeds, of the American Museum of Natural History. Dr. Reeds believes also that it will afford scientists an opportunity for displaying their ingenuity in find-ing an outlet from a region that is still unopened in a commercial sense.

The work of the party which arrived in Nome on Tuesday is expected to prove valuable in determining the di-rection of winds and movement of tides in the Polar region. Dr. Reeds said this work might go a long way to prove or disprove the theory that an unknown continent exists in the great unexplored region north of Alaska and west and northwest of Greenland.

QUAKES IN ITALY.

Rome, Aug. 18.—Twenty-five earth-quake shocks have occurred in and about Ancona in the last 24 hours. Only trivial damage, however, has been suffered by Ancona.

Government reports indicate that the 100,000 inhabitants of the coast from Rimini to a point 60 miles south have suffered heavy damage, the resi-dents being encamped in open fields because of the fear that their homes will topple over.

FREE OF TAX.

London, Aug. 18.—The treasury has given notice that the capital and in-terest of any treasury bills and war expenditure certificates issued hence-forth will be free from the British in-come tax and from any taxation now or in the future, while held by persons neither domiciled nor ordinarily resi-dent in the United Kingdom.

WITH ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

London, Aug. 18.—Capt. R. O. Bell, Irving, 16th Canadian Battalion, has received a commission in the Royal Flying Corps. Lieut. L. Drummond, of the Canadian Engineers, also has been commissioned in the Royal Flying Corps.

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ARMY BILL VETOED BY PRESIDENT WILSON

Measure Just Passed by Amer-
ican Congress Will
Not Be Signed

Washington, Aug. 18.—President Wilson to-day decided to veto the army appropriation bill after discuss-ing the question with Secretary Baker.

The president's veto of the bill, which contains provision for the sup-port of the army as it is to be in-creased and for all the troops now in Mexican service, will necessitate pas-sage of a new bill and possibly may de-lay adjournment of congress.

Chairman James Hay, of the House military committee, said he understood the president's veto was because of the revision of the articles of war which he had forced into the bill over the op-position of the president and the war de-partment.

Representative Hay said he would reintroduce the bill into the House im-mediately with the features to which the president objected eliminated.

Mr. Hay followed his announcement by reintroducing the bill not only with-out the section to which the president objected, but with the whole revision of the articles of war eliminated. This threatened to complicate the situation.

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honorary colonel. Sir Sam Hughes, however, happens to be in England. When he returns he will probably insist upon John Wesley being made a general as a recompense for the indignity heaped upon him while his patron was away.

HERE AND HERE DID ENGLAND HELP ME.

Nobly, nobly, Cape Saint Vincent to the Northwest died away; Sunset ran, one glorious blood-red, resting into Cadiz Bay; Blush 'mid the burning water, full in face Trafalgar lay;

In the dimmest northeast distance dawned Gibraltar, grand and grey; 'Here and Here did England help me; how can I help England?' say; Who turns, as I, this evening, turn to God to praise and pray, While Jove's planet rises yonder, silent over Africa.

—Browning.

CERTAINLY NOT.

No, Percival, we do not think the Deutschland's name should be changed to Doughtnut because she is a "sinker."

DREW THE LINE THERE.

"I draw the line at that." "What?" "I didn't make much of a fuss when my wife insisted on teaching me how to dance all over again, but just because she has had a few lessons from a professional in a gymnasium I'm darned if I'm going to let her teach me how to swim, too."

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RECRUITING.

The Canadian government has authorized a new system for the promotion of recruiting under which there will be a form of registration of the manpower of the country. This action has been prompted by the marked decline of enlistment and the vigorous criticism of the existing system in the industrial districts of the East on the ground that it seriously impaired the supply of labor required for the operation of factories and other industries.

Undoubtedly there has been a radical decline in the recruiting returns. During the fortnight ending August 15, the enlistment was 3,524, which works out at 7,000 per month. If this rate were continued for a year, which would be hardly likely, the total in that period would be only \$4,000. In all probability the actual result would be less. The Canadian government has undertaken to raise 500,000 men from first to last. The total enlistment to date has been \$88,165. We require, therefore, 142,000 more men. At the present rate we would not complete our undertaking in less than two years.

Of the 358,000 recruits enrolled up to the present 290,000 have been furnished by that part of Canada which lies west of the Ottawa river, that is, by Ontario and the West, with a population of something over 4,000,000. Canada east of the Ottawa river, including Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, with a population of a little more than 3,000,000, has provided only 68,000. If recruiting east of the Ottawa was in the proportion of the recruiting west of that river, 149,000 men would be available and the half-million maximum would be reached and passed. Ontario and the West have averaged over one man in every fourteen persons, while the four eastern provinces have averaged one in forty-four persons.

The three districts of which Winnipeg, Calgary and Victoria are the headquarters, in other words the western provinces and the Yukon, have contributed 138,000 out of the 290,000 recruited west of the Ottawa river. Winnipeg district, which comprises Manitoba and Saskatchewan, has accounted for 72,247; Calgary district, 32,074, and Victoria district, embracing British Columbia and the Yukon, has contributed 33,864. The population of the western provinces is under 2,000,000, so they have recruited more than seven per cent, which in the circumstances is a very creditable showing, better than that of even Ontario. When we bear in mind that there is a greater proportion of non-recruitable foreigners in the western provinces than in any other part of Canada, the percentage of enlistment is still more gratifying.

The Canadian West is prepared to do even better, but it is quite within its right in demanding that the Canadian government devote extra attention to Eastern Canada. What steps have been taken to stimulate recruiting in Quebec and the three provinces by the sea? Why have members of the government so religiously avoided Quebec in their recruiting speeches? Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Lemieux have delivered a number of addresses in the ancient province, but they have had no aid from Sir Robert and his ministers and have had to cope with the propaganda of Bourassa and Lavergne, which no attempt has been made by Ottawa to check.

Sir Robert Borden, Sir George Foster and Hon. T. Chase Casagrande join with Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Mr. Marcell and others in a vigorous recruiting campaign throughout Quebec and the maritime provinces. The Prime Minister is coming west on a speaking tour this fall. Why not go east? Where are the three Quebec ministers in the federal cabinet? Are they still under Bourassa's domina-

tion? They do not need to be. All Nationalists are not with Bourassa in his treason. His cousin, Capt. Talbot Papineau, is gallantly fighting at the front. Oliver Asselin, one of the chief exponents of Quebec Nationalism, organized a battalion and led it to the battlefield.

While the Canadian West will do its very best, there is a limit to its resources beyond which it cannot go without involving grave economic difficulties, which it can ill afford to bear. The new system authorized by the government will effect an improvement only if it be put in operation in every part of Canada, with special attention to sections where the enlistment has been relatively small, and even in that case it will not do much unless the government reinforces it by inaugurating a vigorous campaign of education among the provinces between the Ottawa river and the Atlantic.

A WORTHY MOVEMENT.

We invite attention to a public meeting to be addressed at the Alexandra Club to-night by M. P. Fennell, assistant secretary of the Montreal Harbor Commission, in aid of the British Sailors' Relief Fund. This is an empire-wide movement in what can be only a partial recognition of the debt that is owed the gallant seamen of the navy and merchant marine, but for whom the cause for which the allies are battling would have been doomed to destruction no matter how great may have been the sacrifices of their armies. The heavy casualties sustained by the British fleet in the Battle of Jutland have doubly emphasized that obligation, and notwithstanding the other calls upon their pockets in consequence of the war the people of Canada, in common with those of the other dominions, no doubt will show by their response that they fully recognize it. Mr. Fennell's visit to the coast is with the object of organizing branches of the fund, which in Canada is to be under the patronage of His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught.

PAYING THE PIPER.

The agreement between the government and the firm of Foley, Welch & Stewart provided that the proceeds from the sale of Pacific Great Eastern bonds guaranteed by the province should be deposited to the credit of a special account in the name of the finance minister of British Columbia. The money was to be transferred to the company in monthly payments in proportion to the rate of construction up to the completion of the road.

The report of the provincial government railway engineer shows that the amount expended upon the construction of the railroad up to November was \$18,893,138 and the sum released to the company from the proceeds of the sale of provincially guaranteed bonds was \$18,035,198. The sum thus released was the total amount realized from the sale of the bonds guaranteed by the province for the line between Vancouver and Prince George. Practically the entire cost of construction, therefore, was financed from the moneys raised on the credit of the province.

But not more than 62 per cent. of the road has been completed so the government has overpaid to Foley, Welch & Stewart \$4,763,000, in violation of the trust provision of the act which provided that the money should be released in monthly payments in proportion to construction up to completion. Mr. Bowser admitted this overpayment in the legislature; he had to in view of the report of his own engineer.

On January 15 the province paid interest charges on Pacific Great Eastern bonds amounting to \$316,000, the understanding being that another \$316,000 would be due the middle of July. We shall expect to learn from Hon. Alex. Stewart during the campaign if that amount has been paid. More than that, a million dollars out of the \$5,000,000 "loan" the government is making to the company is understood to be for interest charges. Thus the province has begun to bear the burden which the people were solemnly assured they would not have to assume.

What would have happened to the Pacific Great Eastern project had the people of British Columbia known at the time of its inception that they would have to finance the whole construction, providing the funds and paying the interest? What would have been their verdict could they have foreseen that Mr. Bowser would ignore the trust provision of the law inserted for their protection and hand over to the company nearly \$7,000,000 more than it was entitled to, for the payment of every cent of which the taxpayers of the province are liable? They were led to believe that they would be "assisting" Foley, Welch & Stewart to finance the construction of the road merely by lending the use of their credit, not that they would build the road, assuming the interest charges for Foley, Welch & Stewart, who after making large profits as contractors with no competitive tendering, would own the line outright. They were

assured by Sir Richard McBride, Mr. Bowser and (scores of times) by the Victoria Colonist that they would not have to meet a dollar of liability on behalf of this line which had behind it "the wealthiest firm of contractors on the continent." The irony of the situation cannot be lost upon the taxpayers, who have all they can do to meet their ordinary domestic obligations.

A dispatch from Washington announces, unofficially, that the Lusitania case at last has been settled. The terms will be announced at a time when they are likely to affect the political situation favorably for President Wilson as a second term candidate. Germany will pay five thousand dollars per head for the male victims of her crime and a considerably smaller sum for the women. The value of the murdered children also will be graded according to sex. This solution of the problem which long has been perplexing the humane statesmen of the republic will be hailed as a triumph for the astute political judgment which has succeeded in "keeping the country out of the war." Yet the Boston Transcript, an irreconcilable, unreasonable journal, says "all the bleaches brought over on the Deutschland won't obliterate the blood-red stain that crimsoned the Atlantic where the Lusitania went down."

We expected it. Our contemporary now says that we only have to pay the interest charges of the Pacific Great Eastern railroad until the road gets sufficient to pay them itself. How reassuring! We remember the same source assuring us that we would escape even this preliminary canter. As for Mackenzie & Mann, it was treason to suggest that they would not make enormous earnings on the Pacific section, the section which they have since admitted to parliament has crippled their whole system. As an authority on railroad finance the morning paper is a whirlwind, to be sure. In the light of the developments during the last three years a review of its editorial columns between 1909 and 1913 would make interesting and grimly amusing reading. We hope to contribute to the gaiety of the campaign by reproducing a few specimens.

The distribution of 900 per cent. in dividends during the year by the Montreal Ammunition Company is in striking contrast to the action of F. W. Baillie, the head of a Hamilton firm which obtained a contract for war munitions. Mr. Baillie's profits on the contract totalled \$750,000 and he turned the entire amount back to the Dominion treasury. His was an act of the highest patriotism which should be emulated by others but so far there has been no rush to do so on the part of the companies who are announcing dividends running into the hundreds per cent. Clearly, Mr. Baillie does not regard this war with all its terrible suffering and sacrifices as a bonanza of material profit.

President Wilson has another difficult diplomatic problem on his hands. It is to reconcile the railway companies and the railway employees of the United States. The interests of those big rival concerns have clashed over the question of an eight-hour day, and the interests of all the people have intervened as a mere side issue. If the railway brotherhoods should prove inconvertible in their demands, not only would the general business of the country be tied up but millions of people would go hungry. Should the president succeed in convincing the clashing interests that in such a vital matter they must be "too proud to fight," a solution of the difficulty may be reached.

There is a notable dearth of news now in regard to the internal conditions in Germany. Perhaps the angry elements actually have been stifled by natural causes such as the gathering of the first-fruits of the harvest, but then again it is quite possible that news cannot leak out because all avenues of escape have been closed by the decree which permits no one to enter and no one to leave the country.

The Montreal Gazette's London correspondent says considerable curiosity exists in England regarding the British Columbia's soldiers' voting. More than curiosity will develop there if that vote is dishonestly manipulated under the cover of what the Manitoba Free Press describes as "a crooked law which could only emanate from a crooked government."

The taxpayers of British Columbia have all they can do to keep their heads above water. Yet they are building a railroad for the "wealthiest contracting firm on the continent" and paying the interest bill. And they are being plunged into debt in the sum of many millions to enable them to do it. Where would they be with five years' more of this "business government?"

After considering their finished work in Belgium and France, the Huns have decided that the horrors of war must not be carried into Germany—not if they can interpose the necessary obstacles. But we understand they have no objection to Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria being offered up as sacrifices for their sins.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, Aug. 18, 1891.

A meeting of the Board of Trade will be held on Friday to discuss better hotel accommodation. There has been a great deal of grumbling among tourists during the past season, and if something is not done, the traveling public will give Victoria the "go-by."

George O. Raymur, a Victoria boy, well known to many Times readers, has died of mountain fever in Lima, Peru. The message has been received by friends here through the British consul.

There were more appeals than usual at the court of revision, which opened yesterday. The assessment of the Bank of B. C. property, corner of Government street and Fort street, at \$22,150, and \$25,000 for the building, was sustained, although the bank submitted that the contract price for the building had been \$22,000.

Use It Man.—Nusurface Polish on your auto. It puts on a lasting glossy polish. 25c. for 3 oz.; 90c. for qt. Sold by R. A. Brown & Co. Made in Victoria.

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What is a Tombola? When you come home with a beautiful prize under your arm, or put away safely in your basket, you will realize exactly what it is. Very likely you will be one of the lucky ones at the Merchants' Picnic to-morrow at Deep Bay.

George Park Smart Set—Saturday thrilling melodramatic playlet, "The Morning After." Extra artistes.

Said He Loved His Family, so the judge let him off on condition that he took them out to the Merchants' Picnic at Deep Bay, to-morrow, Saturday.

Will Meet To-night.—The Victoria Royal Scarlat Chapter will meet at 8 o'clock to-night in the Orange hall, Yates street.

Look at Pictures!—People who attend Robert Watkin Mill's recital to-night at the Empress ballroom should seize the opportunity to see the painting called "The Boyhood of a Soldier," presented by the artist, Miss Mason, to the Women's Canadian Club, to be raffled in aid of the Returned Soldiers. Tickets are on sale at Hibben's Book Store, Somers' Art Shop, and the Smith Art Shop.

New Local Shipping Company.—New companies notice of the incorporation of which is contained in the current week's British Columbia Gazette include the Dolly Varden Shipping Company, Limited, with a capital stock of \$25,000 and head office at this city. The new company has been organized for the purpose of acquiring the gasoline screw ship Gene, registered at Vancouver. Other incorporations are: Western Machine Works, Limited, head office at Vancouver and capital stock of \$25,000; Nicomen Gravel Company, Limited, of Vancouver, capital stock, \$50,000, to take the properties of the Dewdney Gravel Company and acquire the dredging lease on the bed of the Fraser River; Cranbrook Jobbers, Limited, alteration in powers: Pacific Logging Company, of New Westminster, capital stock of \$40,000, to take over holdings and business of Sullivan Bros. & Hyland; Silver Mine, Limited, of Vancouver, capital stock, \$4,000; Cowdry, Whitney, Limited, of Vancouver, capital stock of \$10,000, commission merchants; National Patents, Limited, of Vancouver, capital, \$100,000, to acquire patents of Walter Thomas, of Nanaimo, for the production of smokeless fuel.

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M. P. Fennell, Jr., Tells of Progress of Campaign to Raise \$500,000

To speak at the organization meeting of the British Sailors' Relief Fund this evening, when a branch for Victoria will be established, M. P. Fennell, Jr., honorary secretary and organizer of the fund, arrived in the city this morning from Montreal.

Mr. Fennell is assistant secretary of the Montreal Harbor Commission, and has visited a number of cities in the West. As the meeting this evening, which is being held at the Alexandra Club, Lieut.-Governor Barnard has been invited to preside. It is being held under civic auspices, Mayor Stewart having called the meeting at the request of the promoters. To this gathering have been invited officers of the Esquimalt navy yard and members of patriotic organizations.

The object of the gathering is to give the people of this country an opportunity to show their appreciation of the work done by the British sailors in the present war, by giving financial



M. P. FENNEL, JR.
Honorary secretary of British Sailors' Relief Fund.

assistance to wounded men and their dependents.

"The intention of the patriotic fund for seamen," said Mr. Fennell, "is to show the people of England that Canadians are keenly appreciative of the work of the Royal Navy as well as the mercantile marine, the sailors of which have also done their share in aiding the empire in the present struggle. The object of the executive is to raise \$500,000 in Canada, and I am pleased to say that a goodly proportion of this amount has been already pledged. According to a telegram which I have just received from Montreal, \$102,000 has been raised there in the last three weeks and our campaign has only been started. Halifax and St. John will each give \$25,000, and even little Prince Edward Island has promised \$10,000. Alberta has pledged \$50,000, and in Manitoba, organization is well under way, but no definite amount has been named as yet. It is expected, however, that the four western provinces will contribute in the neighborhood of \$200,000."

Garden Fete.—A garden fete will be held at St. Barnabas' church grounds to-morrow at 3 p. m. There will be garden games of all kinds, and amusements both for young and old. Refreshments will be served, and everyone is assured of a happy afternoon.

To Hold Police Ball.—A committee composed of Detective Carlow, Sergeant Fry, and Constable Barnes was appointed by the City Police Association yesterday afternoon to arrange for the annual ball, which will be held this winter. It is hoped to raise a sufficient sum to meet obligations maturing from the investment of benefit funds in real estate before the depression.

Provincial Appointments.—The following appointments are gazetted: To be justice of the peace, James Orin Kondall, of Dome Creek, and Charles H. Goodall, of Colwood; to be coroner, Dr. Morris E. Borden, of Nelson; to be commissioner for the Lulu Island West Dyking district, W. M. Oldfield, of Eburne, vice William Bridge, resigned; to be commissioner for the Rutland Drainage district, Gordon Caspell, of Okanagan Valley, vice A. C. Loosmore, resigned; to be issuer of marriage licenses, Alfred McQueen, mining recorder, of Kaslo; to be resident physician for the Windermere district, Philip Watson-Turner, M. R. C. S., in place of Dr. J. Hetherington, resigned; to be deputy mining recorder for the Nelson mining division, Constable W. Forrester, vice Guy Lowenburg, resigned; to be notary public, Atwell Duncan Francis King, Victoria, barrister-at-law.

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R2394—Somewhere in France. Herbert Stuart.	P26—There's a Land, Thorpe Bates.
P38—England's Battle Hymn. Thorpe Bates.	R2390—We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall. Herbert Stuart.

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Rose's Lime Juice, Special, per bottle	19c	3 lbs.	98c
Wagstaff's Marmalade, Special, per jar	18c	Walnut Toffee, very nice, Reg. 40c.	24c
Pure Jams, good assortment, Special, per jar	18c	Chocolates, nicely assorted, Reg. 50c lb.	29c

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4 lbs. "Reception" Tea and 1-lb. Tin C. & B. Pure Cocoa, for	\$1.88

Local New Laid Eggs, Special, per dozen	37c	Shoulders of Mutton, Special, per lb.	18c
Crisco, for shortening, per tin, 30c, and 60c	\$1.20	Choice Back Bacon, half or whole side, per lb.	20c
Shoulders of Spring Lamb, Special, per lb.	20c	Finest Government Creamery Butter, per lb.	38c
		3 lbs. for	\$1.10

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PUZZLING CONFUSION

Lawyer Cousin of Famous Author Here; a Patronymic Problem.

It is rare in literature when two men, first cousins, both of whom have written extensively, should bear the same Christian and surname, and have the respective works of the other attributed to him. Such, however, is the case with James Lane Allen, as both holders of the name, which they received out of respect to an uncle, are residents of New York, and not unlike in personal appearance.

The author of "The Choir Invisible" and many other stories has written extensively on Kentucky affairs. It is, however, his cousin, the New York lawyer of the same name, who is now visiting at the Empress hotel with Mrs. Lane Allen. Mr. Allen who is here at this time said he tried in vain to get his cousin to adopt another name, to avoid confusion. He particularly desired this in view of the fact that before his legal practice, which is in the Wall street district, grew to its present extent, he too was in literature, and found the duplication of names caused much annoyance.

Mr. Allen, who is here on a holiday, fishing, and playing golf, is making a leisurely tour of western Canada, and is particularly delighted with Victoria. He intends to visit the principal points of interest while on the coast. Mr. Allen states that New York business men are showing considerable interest in western Canada, and the movement of tourist travel this year to the coast has been partly directed by that cause.

AT THE THEATRES

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

At the Majestic to-night some of the latest films showing Petrograd and the Russian troops will be thrown on the screen. These pictures are absolutely of the most recent production and entirely free of any element of fake.

The programme also includes a special three-reel drama, "The Destroyer," filmed by the famous Essanay company, the leading star artists being John Larsen and Nell Craig, beloved by all movie fans; and episode of the "Hassards of Helon," railroad series, "The Governor's Special," and some breezy comedies.

Another attraction is the pipe organ recital to the pictures, in which the famous Edward Germain's "Merry England" music is included.

"Are your daughter's singing lessons worth the price you are paying for them?" "Oh, yes! Why, I've just bought that house next door for three hundred pounds. A month ago, the owner wanted seven hundred for it."

"This is my third husband. Isn't it queer, they've all had the name William?" "You're a regular Bill collector."



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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 18—5 a. m.—The barometer is rising along the coast and fair, cool weather is general on the Pacific slope. Rain has fallen in Kootenay and southward to Oregon, while in Cariboo sharp frosts are general. Heavy rains have occurred in Northern Saskatchewan and Southern Alberta and rain will extend to Manitoba.

Forecasts.

For 24 hours ending 5 a. m. Saturday.
Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly and southerly winds, generally fair and cool.
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and cool.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 65; minimum, 51; wind, 20 miles W.; weather, fair.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .02; weather, fair.

Entrance—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; wind, 15 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.76; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, .04; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 39; calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 46; calm; weather, cloudy.

Tatoush—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 50; wind, 10 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 52; wind, 6 miles S.; rain, .05; weather, fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 50; wind, 8 miles S.; rain, .02; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, clear.

Temperatures.

	Max.	Min.
Prince George	68	48
New Hazelton	68	48
Penticton	68	48
Crabbrook	68	48
Nelson	68	48
Grand Forks	68	48
Edmonton	68	48
Qu'Appelle	68	48
Winnipeg	68	48
Toronto	68	48
Ottawa	68	48
Montreal	68	48
St. John	68	48
Halifax	68	48

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Thursday:

Temperature.

Highest.....68

Lowest.....51

Minimum grass.....56

Maximum in sun.....131

Rain, trace.

Bright sunshine, 7 hours 45 minutes.

General state of weather, fair.

WOMEN VOTE IN NOVEMBER.

Nearly 4,000,000 women can vote for president in November. They reside in twelve states. In 1912 if eighty-eight women in California had voted for Wilson he would have carried the state against Roosevelt, who received eleven electoral votes. In Wyoming a change of 378 votes, and in Idaho a change of 155 votes, would have delivered seven electoral votes from Wilson to Taft.

Less than 10,000 votes would have swung Illinois' twenty-nine electoral votes from Wilson to Roosevelt. In Arizona the electoral vote could have been changed by 1,688 votes; in Colorado, by 20,964; in Kansas, by 11,727; in Montana, 2,743; in Nevada, by 1,184; in Oregon, by 4,733; and in Utah, by 2,761. The twelve states named cast one-fifth of the electoral vote of the country.

Washington Post.

"I don't quite like the shape of these shoes." They conform precisely to the shape of your foot, madam, and nothing could be more beautiful than that." Said.

He (angrily)—"See here, Betty, what do you mean by keeping me waiting here on the corner looking like a fool?" She—"Now, Tom, I know I kept you waiting, but the rest you did yourself."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

F. Snyder, of Milwaukee, is at the Dominion.

A. N. Beebe of Hampton, Iowa, is at the Dominion.

Mr. W. S. Loomis, of Seattle, is at the Strathcona hotel.

Miss Ida R. Ensey, of Terre Haute, Ind., is at the Dominion.

John McMeekin, of Chelmsford, is staying at the Dominion.

H. Jackson, of St. Thomas, Ont., is staying at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. R. E. Wilson, of Calgary, is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. J. A. Brown, of Toronto, is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

A. D. Cooke and Mrs. Cooke, of Montreal, are at the Dominion.

Miss F. E. Pallas, of London, Eng., is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

J. N. McLain and Mrs. McLain, of Vancouver, are at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Baker, of Tulsa, Okla., are guests at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. Halliday and family, of Spokane, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

Miss Florence Veneault, of Montreal, is a guest of the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Peters, of New York, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Martin, of Chicago, are registered at the Empress hotel.

J. A. Coatham and Mr. Coatham, of Sardinia, are guests at the Dominion hotel.

E. Shafer and Mrs. Shafer, of Tacoma, are guests at the Dominion hotel.

Miss R. A. Brady, of Moose Jaw, Sask., is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dahlstrom are Seattle visitors staying at the Strathcona hotel.

Richard Waters and Mrs. Waters, of Ellensburg, Wash., are at the Dominion.

H. Bradbury is down from Prince Rupert and is staying at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Love, of Spokane, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Mrs. Jackson and Miss Jackson, of St. Thomas, Ont., are registered at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ehrman and party, of Portland, are staying at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Post Mitchell, of Princeton, N. J., are guests at the Empress hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles H. May, of New York, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Dennison are on Angeles visitors registered at the Strathcona hotel.

W. G. Everett, of Ganges, B. C., is in the city and is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. White and Mrs. Russell, of Fayetteville, Ark., are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

Misses May H. and A. Funnell, of Kingston, Ont., are new arrivals at the Dominion hotel.

W. G. Royce, R. Junior, C. A. Fletcher and John Nelson, of Portland, are at the Strathcona hotel.

C. S. Harris, Mrs. Harris and Miss Harris, of Windsor, Ont., are registered at the Dominion.

Winnipeg visitors registered at the Strathcona hotel are M. Smith, C. Smith and Miss E. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Norton and family, of Louisville, Kentucky, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Frank E. Green, of Winnipeg, and R. C. Cowie, of Laahurn, Sask., are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Miss Belle Grant, of Victoria, is at present visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Le C. Grant, Aytoun Ranch—Belle Coles Courier.

F. F. Farmer, Mrs. Farmer, Miss Farmer and Miss G. Brooks, of New Westminster, are motoring through the island and are at the Dominion.

J. Burt Morgan, the newly-elected president of the Life Underwriters' Association, left for Vancouver this afternoon. He will meet the executive of the Vancouver association and will discuss matters of interest to members of the organization.

At "Broadbent," the residence of Capt. the Rev. Dr. Campbell, the marriage was celebrated yesterday afternoon of Pte. Cuthbert Roy Coshe, of the 143rd Battalion, and Miss Catherine Forbes Fulton, of Lutton, B. C. The bride, who wore a traveling costume of navy blue serge, was attended by Miss Mary Boyle. The bridegroom was supported by Pte. Alfred J. E. Mothershead, of the 143rd Battalion.

At the Metropolitan Methodist church a wedding of interest was celebrated yesterday at 2.30 p. m. the principals being Elizabeth L., daughter of Rev. H. R. Baker, of Victoria, and Rev. John R. Butler, pastor of the Methodist church, Mission city. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. R. S. Baker, wore a pretty traveling costume of blue silk, trimmed with ostrich plumes. Miss Grace Baker, her sister, in blue tulle and wearing a hat of cream Georgette crepe, acted as bridesmaid; and Miss Jean Harvey made a charming maid of honor in a frock of blue silk and crepe de chine with hat en suite. Rev. R. R. Morrison, of Vancouver, was the best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. Osborne, pastor of the Metropolitan, who was assisted by the bride's father. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers, sweet peas, marguerites, and ferns being principally in evidence. Appropriate wedding music was played by Mr. E. Parsons, who was at the organ. Mrs. R. S. Baker during the ceremony gave a very pretty rendering of "Oh, Fair, Oh Sweet and Holy." Afterwards there was a reception, and during the later afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Butler left for the south.

Recent guests at Strathcona Lodge, Shawnigan Lake, included the following: G. Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Hicks, Mrs. Scitiano, Miss L. Zarelli, J. Zarelli, G. Bianchi, Mrs. Porritt, Miss B. Porritt, B. Porritt, Berne Hall, C. H. Jelliman, Mr. and Mrs. Jameson, C. Percival, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, J. Thomson, D. R. Logie, B. Cieri, T. Wilson, D. M. Eveden, Mr. and Mrs. Bryce, Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, E. A. Harris, J. Brooker, C. Vincent, C. Wills, Mr. and Mrs. Ario, L. C. Fillmore, Mr. and Mrs. Ario, Miss Gladys McKeel, Alex. Chernavsky, Jan Chernavsky, Miss Elsa Chernavsky, H. A. Tuckwell, B. Hall, F. R. Currie, T. H. Bailey, Mrs. Beale, Miss Beale, Mrs. W. Beale and child, J. B. MacDonald, Mrs. I. Corcoran and Miss Ida Corcoran, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. B. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Dufkinfield Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Martin and J. Lorne Pyke, Vancouver; Dr. and Mrs. Mansur and Dr. and Mrs. Macleish, Los Angeles, Cal.; H. O. Pond and C. S. Hertin, New York; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McEwan, Miss M. McEwan, Miss E. Wood, C. M. Park, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan, Miss H. Haulk, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. H. Carpenter, Portland, Ore.; Mile. M. Leroy, Paris, France.

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The first raffle for forty prizes was such a success, that the committee has decided to hold a second raffle. There will be

100 PRIZES

All the prizes have been donated to the Red Cross Society. All the expenses have been donated. Messrs. O'Connell, Ltd., of Government street, have kindly given the use of their shop window.

The price of a ticket is **10c**

The whole proceeds of the raffle, without deduction of any kind, will go to the Red Cross Funds.

Prize List

- 1—Fine piece of Marble Statuary.
- 2—Pair of Baroque Engravings.
- 3—Set of valuable old Engravings.
- 4—Old English Inlaid Tea Caddy.
- 5—Pair of old Chinese Blue Jars.
- 6—Antique Chinese Blue Bowl.
- 7—Antique Cameo Set in 18ct. gold.
- 8—Valuable Miniature mounted in 18ct. gold.
- 9—Violin.
- 10—Old gold lacquer Chinese Smoking Box.
- 11—Antique Jewelled Necklace (weight of gold alone being \$25.54).
- 12—Antique Gold and Moonstone Pendant.
- 13—Sealed Envelope containing interesting document, that will be bought by Mr. Henry Pearce for \$50 cash if the winner cares to sell it.
- 14—Mosaic Mirror.
- 15—18 Carat solid Gold Watch.
- 16—Gold and Turquoise Pendant.
- 17—Antique Chinese Gong.
- 18—Panel of Tapestry.
- 19—Pearl and Diamond Gold Bracelet.
- 20—Five Stone Opal Ring.
- 21—Pearl and Ruby Gold Ring.
- 22—Hair Ornament.
- 23—New Panama Hat, valued at \$20.00.
- 24—China Plaque.
- 25—Indian Curio (Gloves).
- 26—Indian Curio (Basket).
- 27—Camera, 5 by 7 Premo; cost \$40.00.
- 28—Camera, English quarter plate; cost \$25.
- 29—Picnic Tea Basket.
- 30—Water color, Qualicum Bay, by P. C. Hall.
- 31—Ostrich Feather Willow Plume; value \$30.00.
- 32—Solid Gold and Turquoise Snake Bracelet.
- 33—Handmade Silk and Steel Purse.
- 34—Jet Necklace.
- 35—Hammered Copper Electric Fitting.
- 36—18 vols. "The World's Masterpiece of Modern Paintings."
- 37—Water Color, by A. M. Collins.
- 38—Black Ostrich Feather Fan.
- 39—Japanese Silk Scarf.
- 40—Hand-painted Fan.
- 41—Irish Crochet Scarf and Fichu.
- 42—Hand-painted Table Centre.
- 43—Framed Picture.
- 44—Eight days Traveling Clock.
- 45—Camera (No. 4 Bulb).
- 46—Hand-chased Silver Gift Card Case.
- 47—Set of Mathematical Instruments.
- 48—Case of Berry Spoons, Sugar Sifter.
- 49—Mahogany and Jewelled Picture Frame (28 ins. square).
- 50—Framed Picture.

The above prizes are on view at Messrs. O'Connell's store on Government street; the undermentioned prizes are on view at the Superfluties store in Belmont house.

- 51—Encyclopedia Britannica, 1904 edition, 21 vols. bound in leather, in Oak Book Case.
- 52—Set of Bancroft's Works, 38 vols.
- 53—Set of Debates of House of Commons, bound in leather, 47 vols.
- 54—Bevelled Mirror in carved oak frame, 82 ins. by 32 ins.
- 55—New Vacuum Cleaner; cost \$100.
- 56—Picture by Maude Earle.
- 57—Large Filter.
- 58—Edison Phonograph.
- 59—Linen Press.
- 60—Ladies' Saddle.
- 61—Ladies' Bicycle.
- 62—Oil Painting, by N. Sykes.
- 63—Historic Bridle.
- 64—Set of Victor Hugo's Works, 22 vols.
- 65—Set of Novels, assorted, 20 vols.
- 66—Set of Scientific and Historical Works, 20 vols.
- 67—More than one hundred Books of Operas, Oratorios, Piano and Choral Works.
- 68—Mountain Sheep Head.
- 69—Mounted Horn.
- 70—Mounted Buck Head.
- 71—Mounted Sheep Head.
- 72—Selkowne.
- 73—Large Mounted Map of British Columbia.
- 74—"Success" Vacuum Cleaner.
- 75—Palm.
- 76—Silk Cushion.
- 77—Silk Cushion.
- 78—Brass Lamp.
- 79—Brass and China Lamp.
- 80—Brass and China Lamp.
- 81—Mantel Lamp.
- 82—Electro Lamp.
- 83—Electro Lamp.
- 84—Stove.
- 85—Stove.
- 86—Organ Movement for Piano.
- 87—Forte Attachment.
- 88—Candelabra Flower Stand.
- 89—Spirit Level.
- 90—Folding Trussing Stretcher.
- 91—Framed Picture.
- 92—Photo Frames.
- 93—Set of Poems.
- 94—Copper Teapot Stand and Spirit Stove.
- 95—Violin.
- 96—Old Print Framed.
- 97—Framed Picture.
- 98—Folding Nursery Screen, donated by the Lamson Street School children.

The raffle will be drawn on September 22nd, but the sale of the tickets will be closed earlier if all the tickets are sold that will represent the value of the prizes offered, so early application for tickets is necessary. Intending buyers in outlying districts can obtain a book of fifty tickets, price \$5.00 plus postage, and a refund will be made for all unsold tickets if returned with stubs on or before Sept. 21st.

Tickets are on sale at Messrs. O'Connell's store in Government street, and the Superfluties shop, Belmont house.

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FORCES AT SIDNEY
GET RIFLE TRAINING

Recruiting Company of Seaforth Highlanders Expected From Vancouver

An impetus has been given to the preparation of the battalions at Sidney for overseas service by the report that C company of the Seaforth Highlanders will arrive in a few days from Vancouver, where they have been engaged in recruiting. Coincidentally with the change, arrangements have been made for rifle instruction at miniature ranges which are being established at the camp and which are almost ready for use.

The new ranges at Saanich, which were established long ago, but which have never been used, will be brought into service within a week or two. Men will bivouac there while they take their training.

A machine gun corps is being trained at Sidney under Lieut.-Col. Leach. For this branch of the work there were so many applicants that difficulty was found in selecting the men most suited for that particular branch of the service.

Lieut.-Col. Cartwright, C. M. C., who has been supervising the musketry course at Vernon, is here with the purpose of taking up with Capt. Williams matters connected with musketry training with particular reference to the units now under training at Sidney camp.

MILITARY CROSS WON
BY C.M.R. OFFICERS

Capt. G. Chalmers Johnstone, and Lts. Evans and Worsley Given Awards

News has been received here that Capt. G. Chalmers Johnstone, who left Victoria as adjutant with the 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles, and who has recently been appointed second in command of that unit, has been awarded the Military Cross. On the reorganization of the battalion into an infantry unit some time after it reached France in the latter part of 1915, Captain Johnstone was given command of D Company. In the recent heavy fighting at Ypres salient Brigadier General Williams was taken prisoner by the Germans. Lieut.-Col. Bott, O.C., 2nd C. M. R., was appointed to act temporarily as brigade officer in his stead, and Captain Johnstone assumed command during eighteen hours of the hardest fighting not only of his own battalion but of part of another. After the action the unit was again reorganized, and for some weeks on Captain Johnstone fell not only the duties of second in command but also of adjutant. Captain Johnstone's wife and four children live at 2439 Longbranch avenue, Victoria.

Two other officers who left Victoria with the 2nd C. M. R. have been awarded the Military Cross within the past few weeks, viz., Lieut. A. V. Evans, who belonged formerly to Enderby, B. C.; and Lieut. Worsley, who left here in command of the Yukon section of the 2nd C. M. R., was wounded and returned to England, but has since been transferred to the Engineers. Particulars of the circumstances for which the three officers have received the awards are not yet known here, but it is known that they were all through the heavy actions of June, after being many months at the front.

Wins D. S. O.

Announcement has been made that Major Stewart McFordie, of Prince Rupert, has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order. Major McFordie left Victoria with the 48th Battalion, under Lieut.-Col. Holmes, and shortly after the unit went to France as the 3rd Canadian Pioneer. He was slightly wounded. He returned to duty after a few days in the hospital, but was again wounded about the middle of June, losing his right eye and being hit in ten places with shrapnel. Major McFordie in that action stayed with his men under rapid fire for three and a half hours after he was wounded, fifty of the 86 men who were with him being hit. Afterwards he was sent back to Boulogne for treatment, and is now on the road to recovery.

INSTRUCTOR AT SHORNCLIFFE.

Lieut. H. N. Wootton is Anxious to Be Back on Firing Line.

H. N. Wootton, of Richardson street, has just received a letter from his son, Lieut. H. N. Wootton, who is attached to the Canadian Field Artillery Reserve Brigade stationed at Shorncliffe as brigade instructor. Lieut. Wootton left Victoria as a private with the 30th Battalion and was seriously wounded at Festubert with the 7th. He was promoted on the field and after spending months at several hospitals in England recovered sufficiently to take up the work as brigade instructor at the Ross barracks, Shorncliffe.

Lieut. Wootton is very anxious to get on the firing line again, but so far he has not been permitted to take further part in active service.

Before leaving here he studied law with his father in the offices of Wootton & Goward, and he was one of the first of the local boys to respond to the call. He has a younger brother Edward who left here later, and who is now training in England.

Hudson's Bay "Imperial" Lager Beer, quarts, 3 for 50c.

BANTAMS MAINTAIN
RECRUITING AVERAGE

Five Men Per Day Have Been Enrolled Since Beginning of June

The 143rd Battalion has now 290 men in its ranks and about one hundred more are required to bring the unit to full strength. Since June last this battalion has recruited at the rate of five men per day, excluding Sundays, and energetic efforts are being made to bring it to the required number of 1,025 as early as possible. This month the enrolment has not been as high as in previous months. This is due, in considerable measure, to the falling off of enlistments in Alberta, from which province but seven men have been received since the month began. Owing to the work of harvesting recruiting has fallen off considerably throughout the northwest. In Winnipeg one of the battalions enrolling men there has had a week without recruiting a man.

There are now seven battalions enrolling men in this province, the units, according to seniority being as follows: 131st, 143rd, 158th, 172nd, 225th and 231st. In addition the 211th of Calgary, and a number of special units, besides home service regiments, are also enrolling men. The 131st, which is next in line for departure, to be followed by the 143rd, is practically complete, and the 158th and 172nd are well over strength. It has been urged in some quarters that transfers should be arranged from units over strength to the senior battalions.

The third issue of the Bantam Review, the periodical issued weekly by the 143rd Battalion, will be issued this afternoon. It is a neatly printed ten-page paper, replete with interesting articles.

SOLDIERS RETURNING

Member of Both on Way Back to This City.

S. Whittle, who left here with the 30th Battalion, passed through Winnipeg yesterday and is on his way here. Others who were bound westward at the same time were Ptes. E. Ashdown, of Asquith, Sask.; A. N. Derbyshire, C. R. Oldfield and W. Templeman, Edmonton; A. Bigger, Revelstoke, and Sergt. Rusk, Caron, Sask. In addition to these men there were forty soldiers bound for Vancouver and other western points who did not detain at Winnipeg.

SHORTAGE OF LABOR
FOR CITY WORKS

City Engineer Has to Withdraw Men to Send Them Downtown

Little more than two years ago, when in the summer of 1914 the city hall was besieged with men seeking work, the prophet of conditions as they are to-day would have been laughed at. The city experienced the effect of the depression following the boom, and eventually not only was it necessary to establish a municipal labor bureau, but also to put men on half time in order to restore harmony between struggling citizens seeking employment.

Then came the war, with the direct demand for men, as well as the supplementary calls for munition and similar workers, and not only did it remove the local pressure, but created a vacuum of labor on the prairies which tends to draw into it the casual laborers from other places. Such is the circumstances under which 200 men from here registered yesterday to go to the harvest fields.

The city engineer now finds for the first time since he assumed office, instead of men falling over one another seeking employment on city work, a real shortage of suitable help. It was actually necessary yesterday to close down work which could wait, and bring the men into the centre of the city on asphalt surfacing where such undertakings cannot close down. Mr. Rust said this morning that had the city a large amount of work to do, the shortage of labor would be really serious. However, with small jobs in hand he expects to regulate it without asking the council to modify the terms of employment for city workmen.

Shortage of labor and increasing cost of living is probably responsible for the movement on foot among some city employees to petition the city council

for the restoration of a minimum wage. It is not known to what extent the petition will receive support, but it is believed that the application will find widespread endorsement. City officials pointed out this morning that the council would be placed on the horns of a dilemma should the movement materialize, because the estimates are based on the current rate of wages prevailing in the spring, and the tax rate has now been struck.

LOCAL COLOR.

There were three or four tawny spots on the little boy's blue knickers. The two kind old ladies looked his pleasant smile, but they wondered why his "mother did not patch with a color to match." Then the little boy in the blue knickers with the tawny spots blushed deeply and burst out:

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Loreley Paraphrase	Conway's Band	18078
From Foreign Parts	Conway's Band	18078
Song to Hawaii (Hawaiian Guitars)	Louise-Ferrera	18089
Hawaiian Hula Medley	Helen Louise-Frank Ferrera	18089
Don't Believe All You Hear in the Moonlight	George MacFarlane	45097
In Scotland	George MacFarlane	45097

Twelve-inch, double-sided dance record.

Slam—Fox Trot	Victor Military Band	35561
Ole Virginny One-Step	Victor Military Band	35561
Loading up the Mandy Lee—One-Step	Victor Military Band	35562
Johnny Get a Girl—Fox Trot	Victor Military Band	35562

Red Seal Record

Mollie Darling	Evan Williams	74480
Le Cid—"O souverain, a judge."		
a perel	Enrico Caruso	88554
Bonnie Sweet Beanie Alma Gluck	44558	
Mattinata	Giovanni Martinelli	44595
Lullaby from Ermeline	Garrison	74481
Chant D'Automme (violin)	Zimbalist	44577

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TELEPHONE EXCHANGE

Building is of Residential Type and Modern in Every Respect

The new exchange quarters at Colquitz are now occupied by the B. C. Telephone Company. Since opening an exchange in that suburb of Victoria rented quarters have been used, but a lot was purchased and a building erected. This is in pursuance of the com-

pany's policy to have its own buildings in all growing districts. The new building is of the residential type usually provided at the smaller exchanges, and is modern in every detail. Power ringing has been installed and a number of other changes made in equipment which will enable a still better service to be given Colquitz subscribers, and facilitate the handling of the increasing business. Miss Hannah Barr is the new agent, and her sister, Miss Nancy Barr, is the other operator. Miss Murray, the former agent, expects to leave for San Francisco in the near future.

Clara: "Jack intends to have everything his own way when we are married." Clara's mamma: "Then why do you marry him?" Clara: "To relieve his mind of a false impression."

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EXTRACT FROM

"BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL" March 23, 1907.

"A Most Valuable Food"

At a time when the preparation of artificial foodstuffs is receiving more attention than ever before, and when new forms of easily assimilable fat to take the place of cod liver oil are being frequently brought to the notice of the medical profession, it is desirable that some of the older forms of administering natural fats should not be lost sight of. Among natural fats, butter easily takes first place for nutritive value, and when combined with a suitable soluble carbohydrate, a most valuable food is produced.

The BUTTER SCOTCH which Messrs. Callard & Bowser (Duke's Road, Euster Road, W. C.) have prepared for fifty years is such an article, which has the great advantage of being palatable, as palatable in fact, that children are more likely to need masticating from excess than any preparation to take it. This BUTTER SCOTCH is stated to contain 11.7 per cent. of fat and 79.3 per cent. of sugar, and the results of an analysis which we have made recently of a specimen substantially confirm these figures; further chemical examination of the product showed it to be genuine butter fat. This confection can therefore be recommended not only as a harmless sweetmeat, but also as a very useful addition to the diet in suitable cases.

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THE TIME BALL

The time ball on the Belmont building will be raised half way at 12.45 p. m. to the top at 12.55 p. m., and dropped at 1 p. m. daily. F. Napier Denison, superintendent, the Observatory, Gonzales Heights.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Hawaii Maru	Balto	5,590	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Aug. 23
Niagara	Rolls	7,502	C. F. R.	Sydney	Aug. 23
Mexico Maru	Yamaguchi	3,700	G. Northern	Hongkong	Aug. 25
Empress of Asia	Davidson	8,524	C. F. R.	Hongkong	Aug. 26
Tamha Maru	Nagasaki	3,000	G. Northern	Hongkong	Aug. 26
Chicago Maru	Hori	3,833	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 1
Kamakura Maru	Kusano	2,944	G. Northern	Hongkong	Sept. 2
Inaba Maru	Higo	2,444	G. Northern	Kobe	Sept. 3
Canada Maru	Bureau	3,761	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 13

DEEP SEA DEPARTURES

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	For	Due
Empress of Japan	Hopcraft	3,029	C. F. R.	Hongkong	Aug. 24
Niagara	Rolls	7,502	C. F. R.	Sydney	Aug. 29
Rishdaoka Maru	Noma	4,572	G. Northern	Hongkong	Sept. 1
Mexico Maru	Yamaguchi	3,700	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 4

COASTWISE SERVICES

For Vancouver				
Steamer Princess Victoria	leaves daily	at 2 p. m.	and steamer Princess Mary or Royal	daily at 11.45 p. m.
G. T. P. steamer	Monday and Wednesday	2.30 p. m.		
From Vancouver				
Steamer Princess Charlotte	arrives daily	at 2.30 p. m.	and steamer Princess Mary or Royal	at 11.45 p. m.
For San Francisco				
Steamer Governor	Aug. 13	steamer President	Aug. 25	
For San Francisco				
Steamer President	Aug. 31	steamer Governor	Aug. 23	
For Seattle				
Steamer Princess Charlotte	leaves daily	at 4.30 p. m.		
G. T. P. steamer	Sunday and Tuesday	midnight		
From Seattle				
Steamer Princess Victoria	arrives daily	at 1 p. m.		
For Port Angeles				
Steamer Sol Duc	leaves daily except Sunday	at 11.30 a. m.		
From Port Angeles				
Steamer Sol Duc	arrives daily except Sunday	at 9 a. m.		

EVIDENCE IS TAKEN IN OREGON CASE

Officers and Crew of Seized Schooner Examined Before Registrar To-day

Examination of witnesses in connection with condemnation proceedings against the auxiliary schooner Oregon was proceeded with at the court house this morning before the registrar of the exchequer court in prize. The witnesses summoned to give testimony are Capt. Swanson, master of the Oregon; L. M. Bechtel, chief engineer; A. Seide, wireless operator, and Francisco Aranzubia, purser, all of whom were aboard the vessel when she was seized. The examination was held on an appointment given to A. P. Luxton, K. C., acting for the crown, following a ruling on the case by Mr. Justice Martin.

At the examination to-day W. H. Bullock-Webster appeared on behalf of the claimants, the Crowley Launch & Tugboat Co., Carlos R. Linga, William A. Wohler and Lind & Co., Lindley Crease, K. C., appeared on behalf of Barning, Guereña Y Cia, a Spanish firm at Guaymas, Mexico. The Crowley Launch & Tugboat Co., of San Francisco, are the registered owners of the Oregon. Linga & Co. are the charterers and consignees of part cargo. The purpose of examining the witnesses at this time is that their evidence may be used at the trial of the case, thus eliminating the appearance of the men in person. The witnesses have already been detained in Victoria several months.

WAIHEMO CALLED HERE TO SECURE PRATIQUE

The British freighter Waiheimo, Capt. Barlow, of the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand, bound from Australian ports to Vancouver, touched at the outer docks this morning to pick up Dr. H. R. Nelson, quarantine officer. Dr. Nelson happened to be in town, and it was necessary for the Waiheimo to come to Victoria in order to secure pratique.

SANK IN TROPICAL STORM.

Corpus Christi, Texas, Aug. 18.—The steamer Pilot Boy, belonging to the Texas & Gulf Steamship Company of Galveston, was sunk in the tropical storm to-day somewhere in the Gulf between here and Galveston. Wires are down and it is impossible to obtain definite information. The message said the crew was saved.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

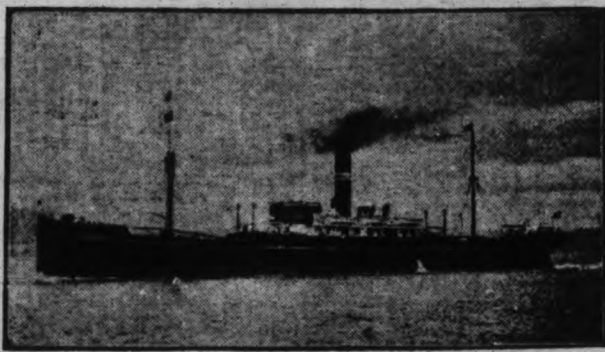
Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of August, 1916:

Sunrise	Sunset
Hour Min.	Hour Min.
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Aug. 12	5 1
Aug. 13	5 2
Aug. 14	5 4
Aug. 15	5 7
Aug. 16	5 10
Aug. 17	5 13
Aug. 18	5 16
Aug. 19	5 19
Aug. 20	5 22
Aug. 21	5 25
Aug. 22	5 28
Aug. 23	5 31
Aug. 24	5 34
Aug. 25	5 37
Aug. 26	5 40
Aug. 27	5 43
Aug. 28	5 46
Aug. 29	5 49
Aug. 30	5 52
Aug. 31	5 55

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O. S. K. LINER MEXICO MARU

METAGAMA BOOKINGS HAVE BEEN CANCELLED

Steamship Ionian Released and is Now Available for London Service

All C. P. O. S. agents have been advised that the liner Metagama, scheduled to sail from Montreal September 9 for Liverpool, will not be available for the booking of passengers. The sister liner Misanable, carrying passengers, will sail from Montreal as posted on August 28.

Among other sailings announced by the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd., the steamship Ionian is posted to leave Montreal for London on September 10. This liner, together with other ships that for many months past have been in the service of the admiralty, has been released and is now available for the London passenger service. According to the latest circular issued by the company the steamships Ionian, Corinthian and Sicilian are being operated in the Montreal-London service, while the Scandinavian, Gramplan and Corsican will go to Liverpool, and the Carthaginian, Pretorian and Scotian to Glasgow.

The following sailings are scheduled from Montreal for September: Scandinavian September 2, Ionian September 10, Carthaginian September 13, Gramplan September 16, Pretorian September 16, Corinthian September 17, Corsican September 23, Scotian September 23 and Sicilian September 30. Cabin passengers only will be carried by the steamships plying in the London service.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Francisco, Aug. 17.—Arrived: Str Olympic, from Gray's Harbor; str Brooklyn, from Bandon; str Queen, from Seattle; str W. F. Herlin, from Astoria; str Yellowstone, from Coos Bay. Sailed: Str Fairhaven, from Punta Arenas; Dan motor str Chile, for Yokohama; Nor str Thor, for Nanaimo; B. C. str Northern Pacific, for Astoria; Br str Matlat, for Wellington, N. Z. Portland, Ore., Aug. 17.—Arrived: Strs Klamath, Argyle and John Poulson from San Francisco. Sailed: Str Tiverton, for San Francisco. Flavel, Ore., Aug. 17.—Sailed: Str Great Northern, for San Francisco. Tacoma, Aug. 17.—Arrived: Str Prince Albert, from British Columbia; str Baja California, from DuPont; Sailed: Str Tampico, for Seattle.

Seattle, Aug. 17.—Arrived: Str Arline from San Francisco; str Despatch from Nanaimo, B. C.; str Tampico from Tacoma; str Governor from Vancouver. Sailed: Str Northland for Southeastern Alaska; str Lyman Stewart for San Francisco; str Violet for Mexico; str Granby No. 1 for Britannia Beach, B. C., in tow of the tug Progressive. New York, Aug. 17.—Arrived: Strs Indrakula, from Ilo Ilo via San Francisco; Calbarian, from Genoa. Callao, Aug. 16.—Arrived: Str Columbia, from San Francisco. Manila, Aug. 16.—Arrived: Str Gov. Forbes, from San Francisco. Hongkong, Aug. 16.—Sailed: Str Shinyo Maru, for San Francisco. Arrived Aug. 11: Str Delhi, from San Francisco.

Yokohama, Aug. 16.—Arrived: Str Tacoma Maru, from Seattle. Sailed: Str Nippon Maru, for San Francisco. Arrived: Str Yokohama Maru, from Seattle. Kobe, Aug. 16.—Arrived: Str Panay, from San Francisco. Hilo, Aug. 16.—Sailed: Str Robert R. Hind, for Puget Sound. Kahului, Aug. 16.—Sailed: Str Oceania Vance, for Puget Sound. Honolulu, Aug. 16.—Sailed: Str Alice Cooke, for Puget Sound.

BORDER LINE SCHEDULE.

Dodwell & Co., local agents for the Border Line Transportation Company, announce the following schedule covering the movements of the motor vessel Wakana and the steamer Fulton. The Wakana will leave Seattle August 22 and 28, arriving at Victoria August 25 and 31, returning via Vancouver, Blaine, Bellingham and Anacortes. The steamer Fulton will leave Seattle August 21, 26 and 31 for Vancouver and Powell River.

TANKERS COMING ON.

The oil tanker Acunson, laden with 20,000 barrels of fuel oil for the G. T. P. is expected from California ports at the end of next week. The Union Oil Company's barge Simla is due on Sunday, also with oil. Both vessels are bound for Vancouver.

MERGER OF CANNERY INTERESTS PENDING

Object is to Eliminate Present Duplication of Distributing Plants

San Francisco, Aug. 18.—Negotiations for a merger of the principal cannery interests of the Pacific coast are under way in San Francisco. The firms named in the reported merger are the J. K. Armyby Company, the Alaska Packers' Association, the California Fruit Cannery Association, the Central California Canneries, the Hawaiian Pineapple Company, Ltd., and Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

That such a merger is under consideration is admitted by a prominent business man who is credited in the reports with an active part in the negotiations. He says he can not discuss the matter beyond stating that the deal has not yet been perfected. The merger, according to talk in local financial circles, will be effected by the creation of a holding company. Its object will be to wipe out the present duplication of distributing plants.

WIRELESS REPORT

August 18, 8 a. m.
Point Grey—Overcast; S. E. light; 30.05; 52; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W. light; 30.05; 55; sea smooth.
Pachena—Cloudy; calm; 30.00; 55; sea smooth. Str Tees abeam, 5.15 a. m., southbound.
Estevan—Cloudy; calm; 29.80; 55; sea smooth. Spoke str Umatilla, position at 8 p. m., 300 miles S. E. of Cape St. Elias, southbound.
Alert Bay—Cloudy; calm; 29.82; 56; sea smooth. Passed out str Princess Beatrice, 11.15 p. m., northbound.
Triangle—Cloudy; calm; 30.10; 54; sea smooth. Spoke str Prince George, 8.30 p. m., off Ivory Island, northbound; spoke str Princess Macquinn, 2.05 a. m., Millbank Sound, northbound; spoke str Princess Beatrice, 1.20 a. m., northbound.
Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; 30.01; 54; sea smooth.
Ikeda Bay—Cloudy; calm; 29.55; 52; sea smooth.
Prince George—Cloudy; calm; 29.95; 58; sea smooth. Passed in, str Prince George, 6 a. m., northbound.
Noon.
Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 30.10; 62; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Clear; N. light; 30.05; 59; sea smooth.
Pachena—Clear; calm; 30.07; 63; sea smooth.
Alert Bay—Cloudy; calm; 29.88; 59; sea smooth.
Triangle—Overcast; calm; 30.14; 59; sea smooth. Spoke str Jefferson 8.25 a. m., 2 hours north of Queen Charlotte Sound, southbound; str Spokane 9.30 a. m., Millbank Sound, southbound.
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 30.08; 52; sea smooth.
Ikeda Bay—Clear; calm; 29.71; 56; sea smooth.
Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 29.98; 58; sea smooth. Spoke str Humboldt 9.15 a. m., due Ketchikan 2 p. m., northbound.

TIDE TABLE.

Date	Time H. T. Time H. T. Time H. T. Time H. T.
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3	4:23 6.4 11:21 3.5 18:21 7.3 23:58 5.0
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5	7:23 5.4 12:39 4.9 18:58 6.8 24:38 3.8
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7	10:23 4.4 13:57 6.3 19:30 6.4 25:18 2.6
8	11:53 3.9 14:36 7.0 19:46 6.2 25:38 2.0
9	13:23 3.4 15:15 7.7 19:58 6.0 25:58 1.4
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12	17:53 1.9 17:12 9.8 20:46 5.4 26:58 -0.4
13	19:23 1.4 17:51 10.5 21:02 5.2 27:18 -1.0
14	20:53 0.9 18:30 11.2 21:18 5.0 27:38 -1.6
15	22:23 0.4 19:09 11.9 21:34 4.8 27:58 -2.2
16	23:53 -0.1 19:48 12.6 21:50 4.6 28:18 -2.8
17	1:23 -0.6 20:27 13.3 22:06 4.4 28:38 -3.4
18	2:53 -1.1 21:06 14.0 22:22 4.2 28:58 -4.0
19	4:23 -1.6 21:45 14.7 22:38 4.0 29:18 -4.6
20	5:53 -2.1 22:24 15.4 22:54 3.8 29:38 -5.2
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25	13:23 -4.6 25:39 18.9 24:14 2.8 31:18 -8.2
26	14:53 -5.1 26:18 19.6 24:30 2.6 31:38 -8.8
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The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height are in feet. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

Equalized.—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 19.0 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Have you smoked "Noblemen" Cigars lately?

REPAIRED CABLE AT LENNARD ISLAND

Lighthouse Tender Newington Returns From Cruise to West Coast

After having completed repairs to the cable connecting Lennard Island with the Vancouver Island shore, near Portland Point, the Dominion lighthouse tender Newington, Capt. Harry Eilton, returned to port last night. This cable, which establishes communication with the lighthouse on Lennard Island, has been out of commission for some time, having been damaged from time to time by the action of the waves off the rock-bound west coast.

This cable happened to be out of commission at the time the Chilean ship Caremapu went ashore on Goward rocks, near Portland Point, on November 25 of last year. It is established at that point mainly for the reporting of vessels in distress that may be sighted by the lightkeeper at Lennard Island. The repairs by the Newington consisted of raising and strengthening the ends of the cable at either shore.

DECKBOY TO CAPTAIN WITHIN SEVEN YEARS

To rise from deck boy to be captain of a steamer in seven years is the record of Capt. E. W. Cullen, master of the Willamette, of the McCormick line. Seven years ago Capt. Cullen shipped as deck boy on the steamer Yosemite, under the command of Capt. Edward Johnson. He was soon a sailor from which position he was promoted to winchman. Cullen was ambitious and saved his pennies so he could lay off and go to school. When he returned to his ship he had papers as second officer. Later he took another examination and returned with a first officer's ticket. After serving two years in this capacity, he again laid off, and returned to his ship with a master's license. When Capt. Reiner, of the Willamette, wanted a vacation, the McCormick Company signed Cullen as master. Cullen is only 25 years old and has been in the employ of the McCormick Company all the time since he has been going to sea.

MOTORSHIP FOR ORIENT.

The Danish motorship Chile, of the East Asiatic Company's fleet, steamed from San Francisco on Thursday, carrying a general cargo for Yokohama, Shanghai and Kobe.

TACOMA AT YOKOHAMA.

The O. S. K. liner Tacoma Maru is reported to have reached Yokohama on Wednesday from Victoria.

METCHNIKOFF.

If Elie Metchnikoff could have survived, in full possession of his intellectual powers, for the 150 years which he believed that a human being should live if relieved of certain bacteria associated with senile decay, what might he not have accomplished in the cause of bacteriological science? But he has died at about the Paulinist's "age of man," before his discovery of the glyco-bacteria and the application of it had produced definite results. His indisputable achievement, however, were memorable. If the Bulgarian bacilli have not turned out to be the veritable elixir of life, they have assuredly proved a useful factor in the treatment of certain common ailments. Metchnikoff's impulsive temperament and his fervid imagination served to give him a place in the public mind which workers in his special scientific field do not often obtain. But they serve also to give him a false reputation. His theories about longevity were interesting, but no more important than his theories about marriage and divorce. As a bacteriologist he ranked fairly with Virchow and Pasteur; his theory of inflammation, formulated in 1882, was of no less value to the development of medical science than Virchow's discovery of the leucocytes in the blood and Pasteur's of the invading microbes. He was a student of extraordinary zeal and unproven enthusiasm. He did not live to prove that cancer is caused by a microbe, a theory of Fibiger which he accepted, and can be avoided by eating only cooked food, or to convince his fellow scientists that their own investigations in the causes of that disease were misdirected. But his patient labors produced many good results, his example stimulated others to energetic work in the path of research which would otherwise have been neglected. He was a man of large vitality, and essentially a man of his own era, accorded many high honors while he lived. He will be remembered as a discoverer and a true benefactor of the human race as well as the propounder of startling though amiable theories.—From the New York Times.

YE EDITORS' REVENGE.

The editor's garden has been blessed with numerous hens all summer, and the roof of the mouths of the whole family has been blistered from continually saying "shoo." The wife "shoo" with her apron, and we "shoo" with a stick of stove wood (if it happens to be any cut) and the kids use all kinds of things to "shoo" with. We have now purchased our revenge in the shape of a big rooster and twenty-three hens. It is our intention to fence in the garden and turn our new equipment out to bustle for themselves, but we really hope they do not bother our neighbors, and we do not think they will, as they seem to be quite well-bred and polite.—From the Allan, Sask., Tribune.

Heckled orator (after continued interruptions)—"It is no use talking any longer. Every time I open my mouth a silly fool speaks."

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SPORTING NEWS

FORMER CHAMPION SUFFERS DEFEAT

R. Norris Williams Eliminated
by Californian; Japanese
Star in the Semi-Finals

Newport, R. I., Aug. 18.—A new name on the Casino bowl for the annual invitation tennis singles tournament was assured when R. Norris Williams, II, of Philadelphia, the former national champion who won last year's competition here, was eliminated yesterday by the sweeping strokes of C. J. Griffin, of San Francisco. To some extent the downfall of Williams was accounted for by a weak ankle, which compelled him to play a back court game. In this style of play alone he was unable to meet the accurate drives of the versatile Californian, who was able to place the ball just where Williams, unable to move rapidly, could not reach it.

Harold A. Throckmorton, schoolboy champion of Elizabeth, N. J., who, in the earlier days of the tournament, eliminated Wm. J. Clothier, former national champion, and H. Mikami, the Japanese player, added to his laurels yesterday by defeating N. W. Niles, of Boston. The match was the longest of the day, the five sets occupying four hours.

To-day in the semi-finals, Throckmorton will meet W. M. Johnstone, the national title holder, while Griffin will play against L. Kumagae, the Japanese champion.

BACK TO GIANTS.

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 18.—Outfielder Jim Thorpe, secured by Milwaukee from the New York Nationals last spring, was recalled yesterday. He will report at the end of the season.



Quackery and Corns

Hundreds of treatments have been offered for corns. Some were sedatives to quiet pain. Some were acids, harsh and sticky. Some were quackery. But one man—a famous chemist—studied corns for 25 years. And finally discovered Blue-jay. That is now the standard treatment, gentle, certain, scientific. It is used on a million corns monthly. It has stopped the corn pain instantly, 70 million times. It has ended the corns completely within 48 hours, in 91 per cent of the cases. The others take a little longer. Stop paring corns. Stop treating them in wrong ways. Use Blue-jay, and that ends them in a gentle, easy way. Prove that tonight.

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FIELDER JONES HAS SYSTEM THAT WINS

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Wonders" is Demonstrating
That Fact With Browns

In 1906, Fielder Jones brought the White Sox from the near-cellar to the pennant by a sensational climb, the team winning nineteen straight games. This season Fielder Jones is with the St. Louis Browns. The Browns were resting comfortably in seventh place until they awoke suddenly and started a winning streak which now makes them serious pennant contenders. The Browns are now in the first division, and the race between six of the teams is so close that the Browns might hop on the heels of the leaders at any time.

Jones braved much hostile criticism early in the season, but unheeding the knocks evoked by the early failure of the club to come through, continued along his own lines, whipping the team into shape according to his ideas.

Jones's view of a winning policy is to tighten the defence to the point where the other fellow can't score, except through miscarriage of plans; and then to outthink him a run or two on attack.

As far as checking the other fellow goes, the Browns have certainly come through. On the other hand, outthinking him in the matter of scoring runs appears to have likewise been demonstrated.

Taking as a basis for consideration the games from July 23 to August 5 inclusive, the first facts the figures reveal are these:

That the Browns scored 69 runs on 127 hits, an average of one run for every 1.84 hits.

That the opposition clubs scored only 22 runs on 114 hits, or only one run for every 5.54 hits made.

In other words, the Browns' scoring efficiency was almost twice that of the opposing teams it has faced. In the matter of counting fouls, given an equal amount of hitting Jones has taught his team to outthink or to somehow outdo the enemy.

In nine of the last 16 games Jones's men have won by margins of one and two runs, indicating that, in a majority of cases, it pays to play your baseball cards close.

CORNWALL COLTS USING VETERANS

In an endeavor to make a better showing before the end of the season arrives the Cornwall Colts, who are at the bottom of the ladder in the eastern lacrosse league, are bringing up their veterans including Ed and Frank Cummins, "Reddy" McMillan and Tom Sands. These veterans, with John White, Red Donihue, Mike Cummings, Larry Degray, Dot Phelan, Watson and Siskner will undoubtedly give the "Factory Town" a much stronger team than it has had all season. It is many years since "Reddy" McMillan has played the game, but he was always a strong drawing card.

FEDERAL GIGS SUIT.

New York, Aug. 18.—Frederick Jacklitsch, a former Brooklyn catcher, began suit in the supreme court yesterday against the Baltimore Federal League Baseball Club for \$3,300 salary. Jacklitsch alleges that in January, 1914, he was engaged to play with the Baltimore Federals for three years and that in August, 1915, he was informed his services were no longer required.

SUSPENDED FOR SEASON.

New York, Aug. 18.—Ray Caldwell, the Yankee pitcher, has been suspended for the remainder of the season. His two-week suspension which started in St. Louis, ended yesterday. He failed to report, and Manager Donovan announced that Caldwell would draw no more pay this year. Donovan refuses to trade or sell the tall telegrapher.

VIRTUE CUP GAMES BECOME INTERESTING

This Week's Matches Have
Important Bearing on
Championship

There are three games scheduled in the Virtue Cup cricket series for tomorrow, and some of the best play of the season is expected. The Incogs play the Five C's on University grounds, the Albions meet the Garrison at Beacon Hill and the Congregationalists play the Victoria C. C. at the Jubilee Hospital.

The games at Beacon Hill and on the University grounds will have an important bearing on the disposition of the Virtue Cup, and a loss for either the Five C's or the Garrison would mean their elimination from the list of contenders for the silverware. However, the Five C's are confident of winning the game with the Incogs, while the Garrison do not anticipate any trouble in disposing of the Albions, in spite of the fact that the latter have been strengthened greatly during the last few weeks. The Victoria C. C. should win their game with the Congregationalists.

The Five C's team follows: H. S. Radcliffe, J. Nicol F. Rawnsley, F. Bonson, W. Tucker, S. May, J. J. Bradford, R. Jelliman, Rev. J. W. Flinton, A. Lea, P. C. Payne, Umpire, Mr. Barker. Congregationalists: A. J. Collett (capt.), Pte. A. W. Erickson, Pte. W. Reed, Gnr. S. Davis, Sgt.-Maj. H. G. Gooding, Sgt. P. S. Gibson, W. N. Sutton, H. W. H. Sutton, H. W. H. Ferris, H. Davis, E. R. Locke, Reserves, J. Austin and A. N. Daniels.

The following players have been chosen to represent the Albions in their match against the Garrison: H. B. Hudson (capt.), H. A. Ismay, G. H. Liffon, E. P. Ward, L. B. Trimen, E. Parsons, F. Jordan, W. Grogson, R. White, S. F. Morley, and A. E. Spurgue. Reserve, G. Southwell.

ELECTRICS DEFEAT VANCOUVER TEAM

At Great Falls yesterday the home team pounded Russell's slants for 13 hits and 10 runs, while Toner for the Miners was holding the Beavers to 4 hits and 4 runs. The score:

Vancouver	A.B.R.H.P.O.A.R.
Murphy, 1 b. 2 b.	4 1 1 5 0 1 0
Hamilton, 2 b.	2 1 0 0 1 0
Wolfer, 3 b.	4 0 1 1 2 0
Briner, c. f.	4 0 0 0 0 1
R. Brown, 2 b. p.	4 0 0 5 4 0
Check, c.	4 1 0 5 2 0
Ryan, c.	0 0 0 0 0 0
Zinke, 1 f.	2 1 1 0 0
Hood, 1 f.	2 0 0 0 0 0
Russell, 1 b.	3 0 1 1 2 0
Hoffman, 1 b.	1 0 0 1 0 0
Totals	32 4 24 24 1

Great Falls	A.B.R.H.P.O.A.R.
Bennett, 2 b.	5 0 1 4 2 1
McArdle, 3 b.	4 1 1 2 2 0
Kelly, c. f.	2 2 0 1 0 0
Boeckel, 3 b.	2 1 1 0 0 0
Payne, 3 f.	2 1 1 0 0 0
Crisp, c.	4 2 2 6 1 0
Garrity, 1 f.	3 1 2 3 1 0
Hester, 1 b.	3 1 1 1 1 2
Toner, p.	4 1 0 5 0 0
Totals	32 10 13 27 12 0

Score by innings:
Vancouver 0 0 0 2 2 0 0 4
Great Falls 1 0 0 1 0 5 0 10

Summary: Two-base hits—Zinke, Bennett, Toner, Crisp. Three-base hit—Wolfer. Sacrifice hits—Hood, Hester. Stolen bases—Hood, Kelly. Double plays—Russell to Murphy, Garrity to Crisp, Payson to Crisp. Bases on balls—Off Russell, 4; off Toner, 4. Struck out—By Russell, 4; by R. Brown, 2; by Toner, 5. Hits—Off Russell, 12 hits and 10 runs in 7 innings; charge defeat to Russell. Left on bases—Great Falls, 4; Vancouver, 6. Time—1.45. Umpire—Pinnerman.

FORMER CHAMPION MAKES LOW SCORE

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 18.—Perry Turpie, of Redwing, Minn., and James Barnes, of Philadelphia, former champion, yesterday made low scores of 141 for the first 36 holes of the western open golf championship at the Blue Mound Country Club. James Donaldson made the best round of the day, scoring 55 in the morning, but he had trouble with his masher in the second round and took 81. The only other players out of 50 starters to get under 90 were R. G. McDonald, of Buffalo, who made 82 in the afternoon, and Bob Peebles, of Champaign, Ill., who chalked 80 in the morning.

GOTCH FEELING WELL.

Humboldt, Ia., Aug. 18.—Frank Gotch, who is now at home with his broken ankle, is feeling well and is anxiously awaiting the removal of the plaster cast, which will tell how well the fracture has knitted. Emil Klank, his old manager, is visiting him at present. Klank undoubtedly was the saddest man in America over Gotch's injury. The circus work had been rounding Gotch into old time shape and there is very little doubt but that he would have met Stecher this fall. Now it is doubtful if Gotch will ever wrestle again.

PLAYERS EXCHANGED.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Manager Griffith of the Washington Senators announced today he had traded Pitcher Boehling and Outfielder Moeller to the Cleveland club for Outfielder Smith and Infielder Leonard.

COAST NET STAR



MAURICE M'LOUGHLIN

The Los Angeles player who with Ward Dawson won the right yesterday at Lake Forest to meet Johnstone and Griffin for the National Singles championship at New York August 28.

FIGHT GAME HAS UPS AND DOWNS

Brings Rapid Success for
Some and Nothing but Re-
verses for Others

The trail of the pugilistic crown has its ups and downs. It brings rapid and unexpected success for some, and for others nothing but reverses, with never a break in the luck of a chance to join in the spoils that are picked up in the squared circle. Jess Willard, the heavyweight champion, will not fight, and his campaign is so arranged that he will profit by months of theatrical work. Jess is the champ, but there is another party who shares in the profits of that knockout victory over Johnson. The lucky individual is Tom Jones.

The fighter does the fighting. He goes through the tedious training work; he knocks out or is knocked out; there is fame while he is on top, but all of it is shared with the manager. And the manager of champions produces an example for the ups and downs, the reverses and successes. One is Tom Jones, the lucky one, the other is Billy McCarney, the unlucky one.

One champion in the career of a fighter manager is sufficient to make him a fortune, as a general thing. Jones has had not only one, but three. How different is the case of Billy McCarney, who has been in the pugilistic game longer than Jones, as promoter, manager and matchmaker. He was a promoter in New York, followed the same calling in Philadelphia, was one of the promoters of the Jeffries-Johnson battle, stood in on the Jeffries and Johnson fight pictures, managed Luther McCarty, and is now looking after the interests of Carl Morris.

But all this didn't give McCarney a great deal of coin. He entered New York a few months before the fight game closed; he entered Philadelphia before the fight game developed there. McCarney was the one who secured the Jeffries-Johnson battle for San Francisco, and lost it when the bout was moved to Reno, Nev. He failed to clear a cent on the pictures, as they were not worth anything with Johnson winning. McCarney managed Luther McCarty when the latter was killed, and at that time the cowboy was just one year shy of knocking out Jack Johnson. McCarney managed Morris, but Willard was picked ahead of Carl for the title encounter with Johnson.

McCarney knew that Johnson was on his last legs, and after the death of McCarty he began looking around for some big husky to match against Jack. He didn't want Willard, even if he could have secured him, as McCarty had already beaten Jess. Finally he selected Morris, and was getting him in shape to go after Johnson when Jones and Willard got in ahead of him and copped the prize.

Willard at this time could have been had, it is believed, as he was roaming around the country with Charley Cutler, who posed as his manager. But the fight promoters refused to accept Willard as a candidate for the heavyweight crown.

McCarney tried to interest Jack Curley in Morris, but didn't have a chance. The Oklahoma engineer fought here and there, but with never a big purse for his share. Carl was not the one to make a fortune for McCarney and shake the hoodlums.

Then comes Tom Jones, from La Salle, where he was the owner of a saloon until 1906. Tom had been back there after having seen his two champions—Billy Papke and Ad Wolgast—play out on him. Papke was a big money maker for Jones and Wolgast brought in another fortune for him. With Ad out of the way, Jones hooked up with Willard. It was a gift. Tom just happened along, conferred with Jack Curley, and between them they decided that Willard could conquer Johnson.

From Papke to Wolgast to Willard

is a combination that has made Jones wealthy, and McCarney well-to-do, drifting along in an indefinite sort of fashion, Willard won, and in winning added more lucre to Jones's fat bank roll.

OTTAWA'S RETURN BOOSTS LACROSSE

Although They Are Out of the
Running, Senators Have
Done Well

Ottawa's return to the N. L. U. this season has aroused a considerable amount of interest in the national pastime, and the stay of the Capitals in the game for another year at least now seems to be an assured thing.

Ottawa will not finish in the running for the championship, but with the difficulties which they have been obliged to overcome have every reason to feel proud of their showing with a newly-organized team. They have defeated the Nationals twice, with a possibility of repeating it again. They have also defeated Shamrocks once, and will try hard to beat them in the last game of the season at the Shamrock grounds.

Ottawa claims to have got the short end of it in decisions from referees, and on one occasion the judge of play's decision was overruled by the referee. The Ottawa might have been "kicked" in the past, but they seem to have good ground for complaint in the number of appointments which they have received for referees.

MAJOR LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	41	38	.528
Boston	39	40	.506
Philadelphia	41	42	.502
New York	32	51	.386
Pittsburg	42	38	.529
Chicago	48	40	.544
St. Louis	47	44	.514
Cincinnati	43	49	.464

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

At Washington. Second game—Detroit, 5; Washington, 4 (called end of eighth). Batteries—Dauss and Shaw, McKee, Galle and Alsworth.

Standing.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	65	46	.586
Cleveland	62	50	.554
Chicago	63	51	.553
Detroit	62	53	.539
St. Louis	61	53	.532
New York	59	52	.522
Washington	59	52	.522
Philadelphia	53	54	.491

Standing.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Los Angeles	74	51	.592
Vernon	75	52	.588
San Francisco	69	53	.563
Salt Lake	59	63	.481
Portland	54	62	.466
Oakland	51	65	.438

BREEZY BITS

Ferd Schupp has been a long time coming, but finally is rewarding Manager McGraw for hanging on to him. If all the Giants' pitchers were as good McGraw might keep in the first division.

Bruce Fairbairn, the Ottawa cover point, appears to have the number of one Didier Fittre. The celebrated hockey and lacrosse shot has been able to accomplish little in his games at Ottawa this season. Fairbairn is too cool and too heady for Fittre.

Charlie Querrie, writing in the Toronto News, states that it would do lacrosse good to have Shamrocks win out. The Irishmen have not held the honors since 1909.

Hi Jasper, pitcher of the St. Louis National League team, has been turned back to Los Angeles. He has been ordered to report immediately. Jasper joined the Los Angeles club last fall. He pitched and won one three-hit game, after which he suddenly left the team. He was located later and sold to the Cardinals.

McCarthy, Brooklyn catcher, is right at the top of the National League in batting and is playing a wonderful game behind the bat. It goes to show the truth of the old gag that there's nothing like the old base hit as a tonic for a ball player. As a rule when a ball player's hitting picks up his whole game improves and he fields in his niftiest manner. McCarthy has been nabbing them on the sacks in a way that few would have thought was in him.

Doc Johnson of the Pirates has another chance to stick in fast circles, and he seems to be making the best of it. Doc was most dangerously near a trip to the bushes, and about the only reason he didn't go was because the Pirates couldn't make the right deal for him. He is having another chance at first just now and playing the bag in his best manner.

Benevolent-looking lady (with a pitying look at the man who has just been dragged from underneath his motor car)—Poor man, have you a wife? Unfortunate motorist—No, madam, I haven't. This is the worst thing that has ever happened to me.—Pearson's Weekly.

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MONTREAL

ANDERSON HAS BEEN WINNER FOR GIANTS

Ex-Federal Strengthens McGraw's Club in Its Weakest Department

Not a great deal was said about Fred Anderson when John McGraw got him. He figured in the deal along with Hariden and Kauff and the writers were too busy boosting Benny the Boastful to pay much attention to anything else. However, Anderson has proved a good man for the Giants where they have needed a good man most—in the pitching box. He has won more games than he has lost, which is something for a Giants pitcher these days. Anderson hails from North Carolina and when not playing ball practices dentistry. In fact it was his purpose to make dentistry his one profession, and he retired from baseball in 1910, but office work undermined his health and he returned to the game two years later as a health measure. He is not a strong man yet, as bulls of the pitching staff go, and there has been some criticism of McGraw for using him too often, the argument being that Anderson is not at his best if he pitches often than once a week. But McGraw has needed all the pitching he could get, and the North Carolina dentist has done his full share and more. Among the regulars on the Giants' staff he leads in effectiveness. One of his strong points in control.

COAST TENNIS STARS DEFEAT EASTERNERS

Lake Forest, Ill., Aug. 18.—Maurice McLoughlin and Ward Dawson, of Los Angeles, Pacific Coast champions, will play Wm. M. Johnstone and Clarence J. Griffin, of San Francisco, on August 21, at the West Side Club's courts, New York, for the national lawn tennis doubles challenge bowl. They won the right here yesterday by beating George M. Church, of Tenary, N. J., and Willis E. Davis, of San Francisco, the eastern champions, in the final of the team eliminating series, 4-6, 7-5, 7-6, 6-3. Church and Dawson played the best tennis of the two teams, Church striving valiantly to overcome the handicap of Davis's wildness and playing at times some brilliant tennis. McLoughlin was not up to his old time form, showing his class only in flashes, Dawson striking an average gait and keeping it up.

THORPES and English GINGER BEER

WOLFTAM HOLDS THE MINERS SAFE

Seattle defeated the Miners yesterday in the Butte, touching up Schroeder for 3 hits which resulted in 5 runs. Wolftam for the Giants allowed 9 hits, but kept them scattered, the Butte team securing only 4 runs. The score:

Seattle	A.B.R.H.P.O.A.R.
Shaw, 1 f.	4 1 1 3 0 0
Morse, 2 b.	4 0 2 1 0 1
Cunningham, 1 f.	3 1 0 2 0 0
Eldred, c.	2 1 0 0 0 0
Melvor, 1 b.	4 1 2 2 2 0
Healey, 3 b.	3 1 0 1 3 0
Raymond, 2 b.	4 1 2 3 4 0
T. Cunningham, c.	4 0 1 8 0 0
Wolftam, p.	4 0 1 1 0 0
Totals	33 6 27 10 8

Butte	A.B.R.H.P.O.A.R.
Grover, 2 b.	4 0 0 2 0 0
Levin, 3 b.	4 0 1 2 0 0
Fitzsimmons, 2 b.	4 0 1 1 0 0
Hillyard, 1 f.	4 0 0 1 0 0
Kippert, c. f.	4 0 1 3 0 1
Hendrix, 1 f.	3 0 0 0 2 0
Hoffman, 1 b.	4 2 3 8 0 0
Roberts, c.	4 1 1 8 1 0
Mehlfaf, p.	2 0 0 0 0 0
Johnson, 1 f.	2 1 1 0 0 0
Schroeder, p.	1 0 1 0 0 0

Score by innings:
Seattle 1 2 3 0 0 0 0 0 0
Butte 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 4

Summary: Two-base hits—Shaw, Raymond, T. Cunningham, Kippert, Hoffman, Johnson. Double plays—Roberts to Levin; Fitzsimmons to Grover to Hoffman. Hits by pitched ball—By Mehlfaf, Cunningham; by Schroeder, Shaw. Wild pitch—Wolftam. Stolen bases—Eldred, Fitzsimmons. Bases on balls—Off Wolftam, 3; off Mehlfaf, 4. Struck out—By Wolftam, 6; by Mehlfaf, 7 in 7 innings. Left on bases—Seattle, 5; Butte, 1. Time—1.30. Umpire—Frery.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Standing.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Spokane	64	42	.606
Butte	66	51	.563
Tacoma	63	54	.536
Great Falls	48	53	.475
Seattle	39	59	.397
Vancouver	40	62	.391

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CHIMNEYS CLEANED (15 years' experience in Victoria). Lloyd, phone 2381.

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B. C. STEAM DYE WORKS—The largest dyeing and cleaning works in the province. Country orders solicited. Phone 209. J. C. Renfrew, proprietor.

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JEEVES BROS. & LAMB, furniture and piano movers. Large, up-to-date, padded vans, express and trucks. Storage, packing and shipping. Office, 721 View road. Phone 2383.

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FRESH AND SMOKED FISH—Orders taken for fresh wild blackberries. Phone 661. W. J. Wriglesworth, 621 Johnson.

WE SUPPLY nothing but fresh fish. Milles Bros., the Central Fish Market, 413 Johnson street. Phone 3996.

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GOOD LEATHER FOR THE PEOPLE. Gilt-edge shoe dressing, black and tan combination for ladies' shoes, khaki and white blouse. A. McKeown, 622 Pignard, gard.

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MECHANICAL PROBLEMS WANTED by Ewing, Merriam & Co., expert machinists and engineers. We are looking for trouble. Bring yours to us. We are automobile repair experts; also repair steam and gasoline power plants of any kind. Opposite Russell Station. Phone 2460.

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NEW MILLWOOD—Shawinigan Lake, fresh water, millwood; inside wood, 15¢; bark wood, 15¢. Phone 1611.

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LIME—Builders' and agricultural lime. Exton, White Lime Co., Phone 27241 and 422.

MONUMENTAL WORKS

ART STONE CO., 122 Douglas. Artistic monumental work at low prices. Phone 1592.

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PAINTING, paperhanging, kalsomining, glazing, etc. Jos. Sears, 223 Bay. Phone 2071.

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SEWER PIPE WARE—Field tile, ground fire clay, etc. B. C. Pottery Co., Ltd., corner Broad and Pandora streets.

PLASTERER

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FOR PROMPT ATTENTION for plumbing repairs. Phone 223 or 4591. E. F. Geller.

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MY MOTTO—"Easy feet, easy mind." F. C. Sheriff, bespoke boot and shoe-maker, agent dried leather, corner Cook and View. 427.

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SHOE REPAIRING promptly and neatly done, reasonably priced. H. White, 1217 Blenheim St., two doors from telephone office.

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TILE SETTING—Floors, walls, bathrooms, fireplaces tiled. All kinds repair work done. Satisfaction guaranteed. T. McDonald, Phone 3827.

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VICTORIA TRUCK & DRAY CO., LTD., office and stables, 219 Broughton St., Telephone 13. 428, 1738.

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HAVE THE AUTO VACUUM for your carpets; satisfaction assured. Phone 4615.

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DRY CEDAR, for kindling or stove wood, 15¢; blocks, 12¢; also 16-inch blocks for furnace, 12¢, delivered. Phone 2545.

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WESTERN COAL & WOOD CO.—D. Macdonald, 1029 Cordova, 12¢ per length; lump coal, 12¢; nut, 12¢. Phone 442.

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F. L. HAYNES, high-grade watchmakers and engravers, manufacturing jewellers. We specialize in ring making. Wedding rings made at shortest notice. Best and cheapest house for repairs. All work guaranteed. 714 Government St.

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ISLAND WINDOW CLEANING CO.—Phone 2815. The pioneer window cleaners and janitors. 846 Arnold.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

TWO-ROOMED SUITE, sunny and comfortable, 10, 650 Dunedin. Phone 410.

TO LET—Completely furnished apartment, 12¢ per month; no children. 115 Yates street.

FURNISHED and unfurnished apartments, Park Mansions, 3 blocks from City Hall, 1214 Quadra.

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FURNISHED SUITES to rent, Normandy Apartments, Cook and Pignard streets.

MELLOR APARTMENTS, 321 Broughton street, adjoining Royal Victoria Theatre. To let, modern apartments (unfurnished); hot water and hot water heating. Apply Mellor Bros., Ltd., 219 Broughton street.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Man to make himself useful on motor launch. R. J. Hamilton, Causeway Boat House. Phone 3445.

EMPLOYERS OF HELP who may now try the latest future requires skilled or unskilled labor, either male or female, should send in their names at once to the Municipal Free Labor Bureau.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

UNFURNISHED rooms, light, water, 1¢ each, furnished from 1¢ wk. 618 Prince.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, 44 Menzies St.

FURNISHED ROOMS, with housekeeping privileges. Low rent. 234 Fernwood road.

PASTEURIZED MILK—Instal on milk in sterilized bottles, Pasteurized or raw. City Dairy Co., corner Cook and View. Phone 1931.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES.

WANTED—Furnished or unfurnished small cottage. Phone 3320 after 7:30 evenings.

ESQUIMALT DISTRICT

"YOU'LL GET IT AT SPRATTS" means that the best service and personal attention is given when you purchase dry goods, linens, etc. at Spratts, 81 Esquimalt road.

EVERY DOLLAR spent in Esquimalt helps to build up the township. Hodgson wants to sell you stationery.

ESQUIMALT PLUMBING—Notice, Allan Macdonald is the only Esquimalt plumber. Orders taken at W. Angus's Hdw., 153 Esquimalt Rd., Esquimalt.

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I CAN CURE water washing toilets, make range boilers give hot water. J. E. Casson, 85 Catherine street. Phone 382.

FOUL BAY BEACH

CALL IN at the Old Reliable Tea Rooms and Bathing Pavilion. Open all year round. T. McGuinness, prop.

LODGES

CANADIAN ORDER OF FORESTERS—Court Columbia, 34, meets 4th Monday, 7 p. m., Orange Hall, Yates St. R. W. O. Bayley, 101 Esquimalt Tel. 1735.

S. O. E. S. JUVENILE YOUNG ENGLAND, meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays, A. O. F. Hall, 7 o'clock. Secretary, A. E. Brindley, 1617 Pembroke.

LOYAL ORANGE ASSOCIATION—L. O. St. 12, meets 2nd and 4th Mondays, at 7:30 p. m., A. J. Warren, W. M., 30 Meares street, 2nd Watterston, R. E. 124 Merrick street.

DAUGHTERS AND MAIDS OF ENGLAND, No. 13, meets 3rd Thursday 8 p. m., O. F. Hall, 7 o'clock. J. A. Palmer, 117 Esquimalt road, W. P. A. Catterall, 107 Esquimalt road.

DAUGHTERS AND MAIDS OF ENGLAND, No. 8—Lodge Princess Alexandra, meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 8 p. m. in A. O. F. Hall, Broad street. President, F. M. Wyman, 27 Pembroke St. Visiting members cordially invited.

SONS OF ENGLAND, B. S.—Alexandra, 118, meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays, A. O. F. Hall, Broad street. H. H. Frost, president, 2nd and 4th Thursdays, J. A. P. Temple, 163 Burdett avenue, secretary.

SONS OF ENGLAND, B. S.—Pride of the Island Lodge, No. 121, meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 8 p. m., O. F. Hall, Broad street. W. A. Carpenter, Maywood P. O. president; secretary, A. E. Brindley, 1617 Pembroke St., city.

K. O. P.—Far West-Victoria Lodge, No. 1, 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8 p. m., O. F. Hall, Broad street. A. G. H. Harding, K. of R. & S., 18 Promia Block, 1060 Government St.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I. O. O. F., meets Wednesdays, 8 p. m., in Odd Fellows Hall, 4th and 5th streets. D. Dewar, R. S., 1240 Oxford street.

THE ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 8 o'clock, H. H. Frost, president, 2nd and 4th Thursdays, W. P. Fullerton, Secy.

A. O. F. COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 352, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad street, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, W. P. Fullerton, Secy.

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Unfurnished.)

FOR RENT—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS, furnished and unfurnished, all parts of the city. Lloyd-Young & Russell, 1012 Broad street, ground floor, Pemberton Building. Phone 432.

NEAR NAVY YARD, ESQUIMALT—Cottage for rent or sale, 10 per month, electric light, water; vacant 1st October. Apply 1300 Government.

FOR RENT—6-room bungalow, near Port. Apply 1567 Ash St., or phone 3891.

HOUSES TO RENT. Apply 41 Oswego.

TO RENT—5-roomed cottage; rent, 12¢; gas stove; 47 Lupton St., James Bay. Apply next door.

TO LET—Three-room cottage, 1738 Second street, near car line; modern conveniences; rent, 12¢; including water. Apply 2328 Pwll Bay road, near Arena. 194 tf

FOR RENT—Tango Lodge, 6 room bungalow, Gorge waterfront; low rent. Mrs. A. H. Gray, 605 Pine, mornings and evenings.

121 MITCHELL ST., OAK BAY—Seven-room, modern house, full basement, furnace, garden in vegetables; rent 15¢. Phone 5109.

TO LET—Modern, seven-room house on Standard avenue, three doors from Richardson street; good garden with young fruit trees; lot 200 feet deep; sawed lumber. Phone 2124.

TO LET—Good, comfortable house on Fort street, close to Oak Bay Junction; 8 rooms; will fit up to suit tenant. 1622 Fort.

TO LET—House, 5 rooms, close in. Apply 4102 Pignard street. Phone 412.

TO LET—7 roomed house, 13 Oswego, Apply 1228 Montrose Ave. Phone 3261.

FOR RENT—4-roomed bungalow, corner of Dallas road and Boyd St. Apply Duck & Johnson, 618 Johnson St.

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Furnished.)

TO LET—3-roomed furnished cottage, 1229 Basil Ave.; immediate possession. Apply J. P. Walls, 516 Bastion.

SMALL furnished cottage for rent, at rear 420 Vancouver St.

TO LET—Furnished, 11 room rooming house, close in. Phone 1182.

FOR RENT—Clean, furnished, 11 room, bedroom, sink, stove and gas. 1250 47th St. Phone 4701.

HOUSES TO RENT, furnished and unfurnished. Our renting department has an automobile at your service. We have a large number of houses to rent, several new ones. The Griffith Company, Hibben-Bone Building.

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SMALL STORE on Cook St., with living rooms; reasonable. Phone 4415.

TO RENT—Fine store, 180 Oak Bay avenue. A smart woman understanding millinery, dry goods, dressmaking, etc. get surviving.

SEWING MACHINES for rent, 718 Yates.

FURNISHED OFFICES for rent, with typewriter; also good stenographer close at hand if required. The Griffith Company, Hibben-Bone Building, 1228 Government street.

DESK ROOM for rent, with phone and typewriter, for month, 75¢; with stenographer, 200. Apply 214 W. 10th St.

ONE AND TWO-ROOM OFFICES to let in Times Building. Apply at Times Office.

WANTED—HOUSES.

WANTED to rent or purchase, by Sept. 1st, 6 room modern bungalow, Oak Bay or Fairfield, from owners only. State lowest terms in first letter. Box 424.

ROOM AND BOARD.

ROOMS, with board, facing Beacon Hill park, clean and home like, 1014 Park Boulevard. Phone 370X.

45 COOK STREET—Large bed sitting room, with board. Phone 1098.

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Answers to Times Want Ads.

The following replies are waiting to be called for:

84, 122, 127, 175, 183, 191, 224, 235, 251, 214, 249, 272, 307, 475, 500, 512, 540, 542, 588, 602, 643, 672, 674, 678.

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PIERCY'S**

Piercy's Soda Fountain at your service

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DIGGONISMS.—A man has a lot more temptations than a woman because he knows just where to look for them. Diggon Printing Co., 708 Yates St. Good printing coupled with service is our business.

WHY GO HOME TO EAT when you can get a nice tasty lunch of four courses at the Delhi Cafe for 50c. Try it once and you will keep on trying it. Tables for ladies.

IN AND 16 IN. WOOD. 8 per cord, delivered in city. D. Lewis, Campbell Bldg. Phone 407R after 5 p.m.

GORDON HEAD ACREAGE.—12 acres, good land, clear, on 4-mile circle. Price for quick sale, \$5,000 cash. Currie & Power, 1214 Douglas St., phone 1406.

GORGE WATERFRONT. To rent, 5-room modern cottage, on large water-front lot, near carline. This is an ideal location for summer. Rent, \$15 per mo. Currie & Power, 1214 Douglas St., phone 1406.

A TRIO OF PIANO BARGAINS.—Heintzman & Co. piano, slightly used, in condition equal to new, plain rich mahogany case, price, \$95, on easy terms. One Dominion piano, mahogany, for \$285, and one Dominion mission style for \$250. Terms, \$20 cash on either and balance very easy. Heintzman & Co., opposite Post Office, phone 1241, a15.

HOCKING. James Bay plumber—Repairs, ranges connected, colls made, etc. 343 St. James St. Phone 371L.

PUBLIC MARKET OPEN all day Saturday with full supply of daily and farm products. a15

AFTER SHOPPING TO-NIGHT call at Majestic theatre. Dandy pictures on the screen and dainty music on our pipe organ. Admission, 10 cents. a15

FOR RENT.—\$15 per month, modern Fairfield home, with furnace, 8 rooms, garage, chicken house, etc. E. W. Whitton, Union Lib. Co., phone 2897.

A FEW VACANCIES IN M.L. Douglas. Apts. furnished or unfurnished, by the week or month. Apply Suite 3, phone 679. a23

YOUR lumber requirements, large or small, doors, windows, etc., carefully attended to if entrusted to the E. W. Whitton Lib. Co., Ltd. Phone 2897. a23

MERRIE ENGLAND MUSIC by Edward Gorman will be played at Majestic theatre to-night on the pipe organ. Admission, 10 cents. a15

GIRL WANTED for housekeeper in a hotel, 387 Yates street. a24

LOST. At car rest, George, 15th Ave., umbrella, silver crooked handle, covered; valuable as keepsake. Kindly return Times Office. a21

WANTED. Milk deliverer. Apply City Dairy, Phone 1931. a21

PRINTER-JOURNALIST seeks position managing editor, copywriter, newspaper practical estimator, economist and result getter; now employed. Apply Box 607, Times. a21

FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE.—A five-roomed modern cottage, near High school. Apply 1281 Fisgard St., between Fernwood and Camosun St. a21

PUBLIC MARKET OPEN all day Saturday with full supply of dairy and farm products. a15

LOST on Wednesday evening four pointed red cross on black base, from doctor's car, on Gorge road. Finder will be rewarded upon returning to Times Office. a21

SPLENDID PICTURES of Petrograd and the Russian troops will be shown at Majestic theatre to-night. Admission 10 cents. a15

WANTED. A 20 or 30 gallon hot water tank; must be in good condition. Box 611, Times. a21

GLENGARRY. 316 Cook St. Furnished apartments to rent. Apply caretaker. a21

PLAIN SEWING WANTED by woman with two children and husband to support. Box 512, Times. a21

SHOWCASE and cash register, slightly used, excellent condition, suitable for confectionery or cigar store, cheap. Call 55, Times. a21

WANTED. Chauffeur, give references and salary. Box 615, Times. a21

WANTED. Chauffeur, to drive Cadillac, for one week. Box 616, Times. a21

MILTON PLACE RABBITRIES.—Imported, blue ribbon stock, many varieties, Persian kittens. Maywood P. O. Phone 1931L. a21

CORDOVA BAY STAGE leaves corner Yates and Douglas streets, Hall's Drug Store, daily, 7.30, 9.30, 10.5 a.m., 1.15, 4.15, 6.15, 8.15, 10.15 p.m. Leaves Cordova Bay 8.00, 10.00, 11.15 a.m., 2.00, 4.00 p.m. Returns Saturday and Sunday, leaving Victoria 2.30 p.m. Special trips arranged. Phone 224L. a21

WANTED. A good general servant. Apply 266 Carroll St. a21

LOST. Round gilt brooch, with 67th crest, near Library; valued as keepsake. Please return to 640 Moss. a21

FOR SALE.—25 White Leghorn pullets and a number of Blue and Buff Orpingtons; also a quantity of first class year old White Leghorn hens. 833 Yates St. Phone 1161L. a15

A YOUNG ordained minister would like a call to any town or city in B. C. considering a Union church or his own. Can furnish the highest references of preaching ability and work. Address Box 616, Times. a21

PERSONAL

MME. ROBERT. a native of France and a renowned psychic and teacher of occult sciences. Here for a few days longer. Spiritualistic circles on Wednesday and Friday, 8 p.m. Spirit messages. Consultation daily from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. The Metropolitan Hotel, Yates St., Room 104, first floor. a21

DIED

BURNETT.—On the 18th inst., at the family residence, Sidney House, Battery street, James Bay, George Thorne Burnett, aged 84 years, a native of Hantsport, England, and a resident of Victoria for the past 18 years. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Chapel, and will be removed to the residence Monday morning, August 21st, from where the funeral service will be held at 2 o'clock. Rev. Leslie Clay officiating. Friends kindly accept this intimation. Funeral private. a21

WILLIAMS.—On the 15th inst., Miss Kate Williams, age 44 years, born Pilling, near Bristol, Eng.; late residence, 342 Pandora avenue. The deceased leaves to survive three brothers, two in this city and one residing in So. Africa. The funeral will take place Saturday, the 19th inst., at 2 o'clock, from the Bands Funeral Co., 1613 Quadra street. Rev. F. A. Chadwick will officiate. Interment Ross Bay Cemetery. a21

LOCAL NEWS

Eight Watchmakers. Haynes, has developed the largest watch repair business in Victoria. Satisfaction, reliability and moderate prices did it. Bring your repairs to Haynes.

Phoenix Stout, 2 qts. for 25c.

C. V. Milton, A. C. P., English, mathematics, Latin, etc., preparation for exams. Phone 474X and 2951.

Numbers of Harvesters.—Three hundred and twelve men registered at the municipal labor bureau yesterday to proceed to the harvest fields in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

Meeting on Monday.—On Monday afternoon, August 21 the auxiliary of the Metropolitan W. M. S. will meet at Mrs. Whiteley's camp, Fowl Bay, at 2 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

Picnic To-morrow.—Daughters of St. George, Victoria Lodge No. 43 and friends, will hold their annual basket picnic at the Willow Beach (Bowker avenue) to-morrow. A programme of races, etc., has been arranged and prizes will be given.

Social Dance.—The Ladies Social Club held a very enjoyable dance in the Connaught hall last night. Excellent music was provided by Prof. Mann's orchestra and during the evening a buffet supper was served. Dancing commenced at 9 and continued until 1 o'clock.

Good Candy Special.—On Saturday we are offering as a special cream butter, 25c. per lb. Our candies can be given with every satisfaction to the youngest child. They are free from substitutes which are injurious to health and indigestible. Everything we use in the manufacture of candies is of the finest quality. 14 gold and silver medals and endless diplomas awarded while in competition with the leading British firms for purity and excellence. Wiper & Co., K. Confectioners, 1210 Douglas street, and 607 Yates St.

Farmers' Institute.—The South Saanich Farmers' Institute met last night in the Institute hall. Mr. Stewart in the chair. Many matters were discussed, but the most important business was the calling for next month of a meeting of the dairymen of the district, who will go fully into the matter of reorganization of marketing. Dr. S. F. Toimie will be invited to address the gathering on that occasion, and an interesting session is looked forward to.

Memorial Service.—A memorial service in honor of Rev. James Turner, a pioneer Methodist minister of British Columbia, who died at San Diego on August 11, will be held in Wesley church on Sunday evening. Rev. J. P. Hicks will assist the pastor in paying tribute to the bravest of our pioneers. Mr. Turner served for a short time at Victoria West Methodist church about twenty years ago, and many of his former parishioners will be glad to pay this tribute to his memory.

Slight Rainfall.—Although several people were somewhat inconvenienced by the shower which fell between 1 and 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon the precipitation was barely measurable. On the mainland the rainfall was heavier, and in the same period about .02 was reported. In the interior there were thunder showers, and there the precipitation ranged up to one-tenth of an inch. Through the states of Washington and Oregon and in northern California there was general rainfall. Since last night heavy rains have fallen in some prairie points. Calgary this morning reported 4 in. of rain. During twelve hours had over two inches of rain, largely in the form of thunder storms; at Prince Albert there was half an inch, and at Medicine Hat 4. The rains were moving rapidly eastward, and by this time will probably be falling in Manitoba. In sharp contrast are the frosts which are being experienced in northern British Columbia, for the past two or three days, while Ontario is still suffering from hot weather, with 91 degrees in Toronto yesterday.

ESQUIMALT TAX SALE

Money Coming in Fast To-day to Avoid Inclusion of Property in Delinquent List.

The preparation of the tax sale list by the Esquimalt municipal authorities and the announcement that a sale of lands would be held on September 1, is having the effect of inducing the delinquents to pay up in order to avoid the expenses of the sale. Already a number have paid, and to-day the officials are busy receiving money. This is the last day on which names may be struck off the list before advertising.

The sale will include all properties on which the taxes for 1914 have not been paid, but the amount for 1915 will be included. The outstanding amount for the two years totals about \$5,000, but this will be materially reduced before to-night.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—Nice home, 233 Blanshard St. Apply at above address or Metropolitan Garage, View St.

TO LET FURNISHED—Two large house-keeping rooms. Apply 1418 Fernwood. Phone 323R.

DISOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

TAKE NOTICE that the Partnership heretofore existing between Frank W. Stevenson and Walter H. Murphy, trading as Stock Brokers, under the firm name of F. W. Stevenson & Company, has been dissolved by mutual consent from this date.

The business will be carried on under the name of F. W. Stevenson & Company at the same offices by the undersigned, to whom all accounts payable by the old firm should be presented.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 18th day of August, 1916.

F. W. STEVENSON.

ORGANIZATION OF FARMERS IS URGED

Resolution Adopted at Nanaimo Meeting in Favor of Co-operation

A number of farmers of Nanaimo district attended a meeting yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade room at Nanaimo, called for the purpose of discussing matters in connection with the agricultural interests and the best method of assisting the agricultural industry on Vancouver Island and adjacent islands.

The meeting was addressed by Messrs. T. W. Martindale and A. E. Planta, representatives of the Nanaimo Board of Trade at a convention of the island boards of trade held recently in Victoria, who told of the action taken by the conference in regards to the best means of assisting the industry. It was the consensus of opinion that only by co-operation could the farmers better their conditions, and this could be best brought about by the government.

After a full discussion of the subject the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, that this meeting heartily endorses the actions of the agricultural products committee of the island boards of trade in its efforts to increase the production of agricultural products on Vancouver Island and adjacent islands, and urge the provincial government be petitioned to appoint agricultural experts to make a canvass of the farmers of the island with the object of ascertaining what each district is best adapted to produce, secure information as regards the present production and future prospects of agriculture on the island, and secure all data possible with the object of organizing the farmers of Vancouver Island on a co-operative basis."

RECITAL TO-NIGHT AT EMPRESS HOTEL

Robert Watkin Mills's Programme Promises Rare Treat to Patrons

A final reminder of Robert Watkin Mills's recital this evening at the Empress hotel ballroom is hardly necessary. Suffice it to say that rarely are Victoria music-lovers offered anything so attractive in the way of a programme, and a rare treat is anticipated. In the first part the famous basso, whose name will go down in history as one of the greatest interpreters of oratorio, will sing selections from Gounod, Mendelssohn, Verdi and Handel. His numbers in the second part of the programme will be songs. Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green, a pianiste whose playing is admired by everyone, will play four pianoforte solos as well as the accompaniments for Mr. Watkin Mills; and Miss Eva Hart, who is well known as a singer, will also assist.

Tickets may be had at the Empress hotel, Fletcher's music store, Oldeon Hicks piano store, Hibben's book store, Brown, the druggist (Esquimalt road), T. H. Slater (511 Union Bank building), or the ladies of the Esquimalt Red Cross Society.

The recital has the distinguished patronage of his honor the lieutenant-governor and Mrs. Barnard, Rear-Admiral and Mrs. Story, Colonel Duff-Stuart and Mrs. Duff-Stuart, and Hon. James Dunsinuir and Mrs. Dunsinuir. The concert will commence at 8.30. The proceeds are for the Esquimalt Red Cross.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of Mrs. James Flett, matron of the W. C. T. U. Refuge Home, who passed away suddenly yesterday, will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 from the First Presbyterian church, where the remains are to be removed at noon. Services will be conducted at the church by Rev. J. G. Inkster.

The funeral of David Powell, formerly proprietor of the Kent Hotel (tobacco stand), will take place at 10.30 o'clock on Saturday morning from the B. C. Funeral parlors. Interment will be at Ross Bay.

The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Dewar, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee hospital on Tuesday, took place from the B. C. Funeral Chapel yesterday. Rev. A. de B. Owen officiating. Many were at the obsequies, and beautiful flowers were on the casket. The pallbearers were Messrs. Henry J. Bland, J. Smithurst, Thomas MacDowell and N. Baeco.

SEEKING MORE MEN

No. 6 Field Company, Canadian Engineers, Continues Work of Recruiting.

No. 6 field company of the Canadian Engineers is seeking more skilled tradesmen of any class. Electricians and carpenters are the most in demand, but there is a place for any mechanic or tradesman. The headquarters of this unit are at North Vancouver, but there is a recruiting office in this city at 606 View street. On enlistment the recruit is sent to North Vancouver.

'CELLIST WITH TRIO



MISCHEL CHERNIAVSKY

The youngest member of the three Russian players who are giving their farewell recital here on Wednesday, Aug. 30, prior to leaving for their American tour.

where he secures his equipment and crafts leave every two weeks for Vancouver, where they wait for transportation to England. Most of the training is done in the old country.

WAR'S INFLUENCE ON EYE RESEARCH

Eminent Ophthalmologist Here From New York on Holiday Tour

Dr. Charles Henry May, the eminent ophthalmologist of New York city, arrived in the city yesterday, and leaves again to-day for Vancouver, on a visit to the resorts in the Canadian Rockies. Mrs. May accompanies him. The effect of the war on this branch of medical science has been, he said, to stay the progress of eye disease research which in normal times is always going on in the civilized world. "I find that," he stated, "through the difficulty in securing first class matter for the scientific journal of which I am editor. You might expect that the great problem of blind soldiers would present a harvest for examination which had not hitherto been garnered, but such is not the case. The injuries from which they suffer in battle are similar to those of accidents in the industrial life, whose symptoms have been thoroughly tested in experience, and perhaps the only new feature has been the development of what is known as trench neuritis, due to cold and exposure in the trenches, which caused kidney trouble. The eyes are the first to give evidence of its presence, and the disease yields to treatment in hospital in the same manner as other similar attacks. That disease is due to the method of trench warfare which has been the dominant character of the present conflict.

Dr. May stated that he had accepted an important directorate in connection with the great Bellevue hospital in New York city, which in its ultimate reconstruction will involve an expenditure of \$12,000,000, make the hospital the largest in the new world, and comparable with the great institution in Vienna. He is consulting ophthalmic surgeon to several of the principal hospitals in New York.

The doctor mentioned that his work "Manual of Diseases of the Eye," which has been translated into several languages, is extensively in Canada, and that therefore he can honestly claim to have some influence in relieving eye diseases in this country. Of Canadian institutions he has a high opinion.

Dr. May is one of those New York men whose practice before the war was always to summer in Europe, and he says that should the conflict continue there will be a greater movement than ever to this coast. He hopes, however, and he says that opinion is shared by nine-tenths of the American people, that there will be an early conclusion to the conflict in favor of the allies, so that the Pacific Northwest may gain in popularity without the adventitious circumstance of an European war to aid it. "The German-American is an advertising individual, and makes more noise than his position or influence in the United States warrants," he observed.

Dr. May volunteered a flattering observation with regard to the Times, speaking of the amount of news he found therein, and the variety of subjects treated, which he said was not paralleled on the continent in any city of the size of Victoria.

Have you smoked "Noblemen" Cigars lately?

SECURES POSSESSION OF BEACH PREMISES

Judge Lampman Decides in Favor of Mrs. Ellard in County Court

In the county court this morning before Judge Lampman, judgment was rendered in favor of Mrs. Ellard, giving her possession of store premises on Fowl Bay beach occupied by Thomas McGuinness. S. T. Hankey appeared for the plaintiffs and M. B. Jackson for the defendant.

According to her evidence, Mrs. Ellard is the life owner of lot one facing on Fowl Bay beach. A little over three years ago she leased the lot to a man named Hartley, who took into partnership the defendant McGuinness. Later Hartley was sold out and McGuinness remained in possession of the premises and was given the place free of rent for three months. Since that he has paid \$5 a month until last spring, when Mrs. Ellard notified him that the rent would be raised to \$10. He protested very vigorously and continued to pay \$5 up to the end of June. The July rent was refused unless he was willing to pay the increased amount, and when Mrs. Ellard sued for possession of the premises and for the rent that was due.

For the defence Mr. Jackson claimed that the building which had been erected by Hartley was not on the Ellard property, but on the public beach; and therefore if anyone had a right to it it was the Dominion government. Judge Lampman, however, ruled that Mrs. Ellard had been recognized for years as the owner and for the purposes of the writ she must be considered as such. He gave judgment accordingly.

AGED RESIDENT DIES

George Thorne Burnett Passes Away in Eighty-Fifth Year; Has Relatives Here.

The death occurred at an early hour this morning of George Thorne Burnett, a resident in Victoria for the past eighteen years.

The late Mr. Burnett was a native of England, where he was born eighty-four years ago. He came out to Canada in the early 'nineties, and for some time after his arrival in the west was in New Westminster. His son, G. J. Burnett, who is now organist at St. John's church, came to Victoria first as organist at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, and shortly after this the late Mr. Burnett moved from New Westminster to this city, where he had made his home ever since. He lived latterly with a married daughter, Mrs. Taylor, at "Sidney House," Battery street, James Bay, and it is from that address that the funeral will take place, at 2 o'clock on Monday, Rev. Dr. Leslie Clay, of St. Andrew's church, officiating.

Mr. Burnett's wife predeceased him many years ago, but beside the married daughter and son, already mentioned, there survive a second married daughter, living in Seattle, and two other sons living in Victoria.

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EARLY APPLICATION FOR SCHOOL PERMITS

Prompt Attention of Parents Would Be Welcomed at Board Office

The issuance of permits for the school term, which begins on Monday week, has commenced at the city school board office. The officials would be glad to have the parents and friends make early application, as otherwise the staff are overwhelmed with cases at the last moment. The practice of leaving the matter till the final day results in great inconvenience to the teachers, who find it hard to get classes started if new faces are coming in after school has opened.

No formal application has yet been made to the board for an opinion on the desirability of the schools remaining closed for a short period longer, as has been suggested to the department of education by the Vancouver board. That suggestion came owing to the fear of infantile paralysis being discovered on this coast, and the infection being spread by contact of children with one another. Whether such course will be followed is not yet definite, but it is stated to be the intention of the superintendent of education to take the opinion of local trustees on the matter. Since there is a regular meeting scheduled next Wednesday, an opportunity will occur to express an opinion on the matter. Victoria fortunately has not had an epidemic of this dreaded disease since November, 1910.

From inquiries made by board officials it is not expected there will be so large a margin of difference between the number of withdrawals from the city High School and those entering by virtue of the entrance examination as to necessitate the provision of additional teaching staff. Still the position is a little uncertain yet, and some adjustment may be necessary.

There are a number of changes being made in the grading of the schools this term to meet the recommendations of the reformation committee.

MERCHANTS' PICNIC TO BE GREAT EVENT

Good Train Service Arranged for To-morrow's Outing at Deep Bay

Practically all the merchants and their employees in the city will go out to Deep Bay to-morrow to attend the merchants' picnic. It will be a great event and given good weather should prove to be the feature of the season so far as outdoor entertainments are concerned.

For the benefit of those who dance a pavilion has been erected, especially for the occasion. Parfitt Brothers of this city have just completed the work. This pavilion is a permanent institution and will prove a great convenience to picnickers and others for future occasions.

Trains will leave the city at 9 and 10 a.m. and at 1, 2, 3 and 6 p.m., and will return at regular intervals, both in the evening leaving for town at 5, 7.30, and 10.45. The last train will meet the last city cars so that everyone will be able to get home without difficulty.

As previously announced, there will be a fine lot of prizes offered for athletic events, and also a big tombola, in connection with which very valuable gifts will be distributed. All who purchase tickets will have a chance to participate in the drawing.

It is to be remembered that this is a basket picnic and that hot water will be provided free of charge on the grounds. The sports will commence at 1.30 and continue throughout the afternoon.

WILL SPEAK HERE ON MONDAY NIGHT

Sir C. H. Tupper to Deliver Address in the Old Victoria Theatre

Very great interest is being taken in the coming visit of Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper to this city on Monday next when he will speak in the Old Victoria theatre, his subject being "Cleaner Provincial Politics." The fact that Sir Charles is an old time Conservative and one of the leaders of the party makes it all the more noteworthy that he is now interesting himself in this campaign.

Sir Charles is generally recognized as the foremost orator on this coast. The only danger at the present time is that the Old Victoria theatre will not be large enough to accommodate the crowd that will be out to greet the visitor.

On this occasion Sir Charles comes under the auspices of the Imperial Conservative Association of this city.

TOURIST EXCHANGE

Manager of Hotels in Honolulu Here Studying Developments in Accommodation.

On a visit to study the hotel accommodation of the Pacific coast cities, T. B. Thiel, manager of a chain of hotels in Honolulu and district, including the great Alexander Young hotel in the Hawaiian capital, is in the city, leaving on the afternoon steamer to-day.

Mr. Thiel has been some years associated with hotel management in Honolulu, and says that the season has been remarkably good, although modified by the withdrawal of the Pacific Mail boats. The Honolulu hotels are able to help Victoria because the management can send on people here, so a mutually helpful alliance may be formed to the benefit of both.

"Like Victoria," he said, "we have an all round the year season, and people can find something to do whenever they come to the Hawaiian Islands. Many little ideas may be obtained in travel, and to see what changes have been introduced into hotel management in the past five or six years is my object in coming to the coast at this time."

Mr. Thiel expressed to Manager Benaglia at the Empress hotel, where he was registered during his stay, his surprise at the excellent accommodation provided for tourists at that hostelry.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
New York	8	11	1
Chicago	1	1	9
Batteries—Perritt and Koehler, Keller; Frendergast, Brown and Elliott, Clemens.			
Brooklyn	6	7	1
Pittsburg	0	6	3
Batteries—Cheney and Miller; Harmon and Fisher.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	11	11	2
Boston	6	9	1
Batteries—Williams, Faber and Schalk; Leonard, Gregg, Wyckoff, Shore and Cady,			

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WE WHO SIT AT HOME!

And we who sit at home in security—what shall we do? We watch their exertions and sacrifices from a safe distance and thrill with pride. But the spectacle must make us want to help, if we have a drop of decent blood in our bodies. We cannot do much, but surely we shall do all we can. Some can help directly by war services of one kind or another, by producing the indispensable equipment of arms, by assisting in transport, succoring the sick and wounded, furnishing comforts and in other ways. Any genuine work helps. But war saving is a way of helping still more general than work. It is less easy to understand, perhaps, because it is less direct, but it is none the less real. Money is not less necessary than arms and men. The financial offensive, like the military offensive, is not of a day or a week, but long, patient and arduous, demanding rigid self-denial and personal services from all. Surely those of us who sit safe at home and read the thrilling war news can do that much joyfully and keep it up. We believe that most people are ready to do what they can when they understand how to do it—London Times.

NEVER AGAIN IS OUR MOTTO.

The object with which the allies have carried on the war has been and is security. We are each and all making sacrifices so terrible that they have no equal in the world's history. In order that we for the rest of our lives and our children after us, may be freed from the risk of war, and from the menace of an armed peace almost as intolerable. As the man in the street might say, "The allies are not going to give the Germans a chance to come at us a second time. Never again is our motto." And if this is the object of the war, it will also be the object of the peace. Here, then, is the foundation for our belief that there are going to be no peace negotiations, but a settlement granted or dictated by the allies. If we are told that this means another year of the war, our answer is, "Better 10 years and more of war than a patched up peace which will only be preparatory to a new outbreak." We showed the world that we had not the sense to prepare for war. At least we can show it that we know how to prepare for a stable peace.—The Spectator.

CASEMENT WORSE THAN ARNOLD

Sir Roger Casement's crime against the British empire and against Ireland was greater than that of Benedict Arnold against the Patriot cause. Arnold's brilliant services in the Patriot army had been ignored by Congress, and inferior officers had been promoted over his head. He had married one of a Tory family, in Philadelphia, and his views had been considerably influenced by association with that political element. The Patriot cause was at a low ebb, and General Washington himself was almost hopeless of success; and although Arnold in his treason was actuated by selfish motives, it is probable that he believed that the colonies would be better off to submit than to hold out longer, only to be eventually conquered, a fate which he deemed certain. Sir Roger Casement, on his part, had been a trusted official of the British empire. He was a pensioner of the government. He conspired with the enemy at a time when the United Kingdom, including Ireland, was struggling for existence against Prussian imperialism. He was not only a traitor to the United Kingdom, but was doubly a traitor to Ireland.—Providence Journal.

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NO NEW TRIAL FOR KELLY AT WINNIPEG

Manitoba Court of Appeal Has Refused Application of Contractor

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—The court of appeal to-day refused to grant a new trial to Thomas Kelly, Chief Justice Howell, Mr. Justice Perdue and Mr. Justice Cameron were against the application of Kelly, and Mr. Justice Richards and Mr. Justice Haggard favored a new trial. An appeal will be entered immediately in the supreme court of Canada.

Chief Justice Howell, delivering the judgment, said the charge of obtaining money by conspiracy had been properly laid and it was no defence for Kelly to say he could not be extradited on that charge. There was evidence to convict Kelly on the fifth count in the indictment, but it was untrue and unsafe to let that count stand since he had not been extradited under it. This count had been quashed, but the chief justice said the quashing could have no effect on the trial, since all the evidence given under it could have been given under the other counts. The chief justice pointed out that Kelly had been convicted of stealing, receiving money by false pretences, yet he was guilty of but one crime and should be punished on but one charge. "That he has committed a crime seems by evidence clearly established," he said. "I do not think such substantial wrong or miscarriage has been done as would justify a new trial. There seems no reason to interfere with the verdict of the jury and I think the motion should be refused."

Mr. Justice Perdue said he had arrived at the same conclusion as the chief justice. He had every confidence that the trial judge would not impose a greater penalty than was permitted for the least of the three offences. Mr. Justice Cameron also concurred. Mr. Justice Richards said he dissented. He thought counts one, two and five were disproved by others. There had been a good deal of evidence on count four on which conviction could be made. "I regret to say," he said, "that I have arrived at the conclusion that for certain reasons set out there should be a new trial on count four." Mr. Justice Haggard concurred with Mr. Justice Richards. "The result," summed up the chief justice, "is that a new trial is refused and the conviction sustained."

TROPICAL STORM ON THE GULF OF MEXICO

Brownsville, Tex., Aug. 18.—Summer residents on Padre Island Beach, opposite Point Isabel, 22 miles northeast of here, were removed to the mainland to-day by the crew of the United States coastguard station at Brazos Island on receipt of news that the tropical storm was approaching across the gulf from the West Indies. All fishing vessels were drawn into Isabel Harbor.

The barometer here registered 29.20 at 10 a. m., a full ten-point drop since 7 a. m., and still was falling.

M. G. HOOK'S EVIDENCE READ AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—M. G. Hook's story of his connection with the "disappearance" of William Salt was told at this forenoon's session of the trial of Sir Rodmond Roblin, George R. Caldwell and J. H. Howden, former provincial ministers. Hook's evidence was taken by a commission in New York on April 11 last, following his refusal to return to Winnipeg, and it was read to the jury by R. W. Craig, of the crown counsel. Hook, who formerly was employed in the Manitoba provincial architect's department under V. W. Horwood, told of making trips south to see Salt at the request of Horwood, and of being given \$10,000 with which he was to make terms with Salt for a trip to Australia. Hook swore that he was robbed of this money in Omaha.

GERMANS SAY FIGHTING CONTINUES AT FLEURY

Berlin, Aug. 18.—"On the right bank of the Meuse," says an official statement issued yesterday, "French troops attacked last evening on a wide front between the Thiaumont work and the Chapelle wood. French troops also attacked repeatedly in the western sector of the mountain wood. At Fleury village the fighting still continues; otherwise the enemy assault has been frustrated everywhere."

"A French plane was forced to descend on Wednesday near Neuf, behind our line south of the Somme by our anti-aircraft guns."

GERMANS SAY TURKS HELPING IN GALICIA

Berlin, Aug. 18.—Announcement that Turkish troops are fighting with the Germans and Austrians in Galicia was made to-day by the war office.

RY. PRESIDENTS TO SEE WILSON AGAIN

Declined To-day to Accept Plan for Settlement of Trouble

Washington, Aug. 18.—The 31 railroad presidents told President Wilson to-day that they stood by the decision of their managers' committee that an eight-hour day was impracticable.

President Wilson refused to take "no" for an answer to his proposal that they accept the eight-hour day, and asked them to return to the White House to-morrow with their managers for another conference.

The railroad presidents agreed to return to the White House to-morrow.

It was made clear to President Wilson that the railroad presidents were not disposed to yield the eight-hour day and that they insisted on arbitration. Their attitude seemed to indicate little chance of the plan proposed by the president being accepted. Several declared the principle of arbitration in industrial disputes was at stake and must be maintained even at the cost of a strike. President Wilson pointed out the disaster which would attend the nation-wide strike, but the officials only answered they were ready to arbitrate the questions at issue. During the conference with President Wilson details were not talked over.

The vote of the employees on President Wilson's plans was delivered to him personally by the chiefs of the four brotherhoods. A. B. Garretson, their spokesman, said it would be given out by the president, and added that although the employees had received no invitation to return to the White House they would "tarry" to await a possible summons.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—The following casualty list was issued to-day:

Infantry.
Killed—Pte. G. P. Baker, Pte. Levi Klesby.
Previously reported unofficially prisoners of war; now reported officially prisoner of war at Friederichshagen—Pte. Harry Rubbery.
Seriously ill—Pte. Geo. Underwood.
Wounded—Cpl. Fred Bennett, Pte. John Cameron, Pte. Frederick Dewharst, Lieut. R. I. Dodge, Pte. F. P. Evanson, Pte. George Hall, Pte. Wm. Hales, Pte. R. H. Hill, Pte. Sam Long, Pte. Jos. A. Maheson, Pte. Wm. Morgan, Pte. S. Sebach, Pte. M. Threlway, Pte. G. H. Watson, Lieut. Cpl. Parry Lasham, Cmp. Sergt. Major S. A. Murphy, Lieut. Cpl. Henry Monkton.
Mounted Rifles.
Wounded—Pte. Frank W. Hayers.
Artillery.
Wounded—Gnr. H. J. Fisk, Gnr. Cecil Osgood, Driver Harold Wilder.
Medical Service.
Wounded—Pte. Frederick G. Morris, Pte. Frederick Dame, Sergt. H. A. Wheatland.
Engineers.
Wounded—Sapper A. O'Condon.

HON. A. P. McNAB GIVES EVIDENCE AT REGINA

Regina, Aug. 18.—Hon. A. P. McNab this forenoon was called before the Haultain commission, which is investigating the construction of the Battleford asylum. He was the minister in charge of the public works department throughout the construction of the asylum, and had let the contract himself on the basis of a memo. given him by the deputy minister. He knew of no arrangement to give the Saskatchewan Building Construction Company the contract and had no knowledge that the other tenders were of the "friendly" variety. Nor had he any knowledge that any of the several deputy ministers holding office successively under him held interests in companies holding sub-contracts.

GERMANS SAY FLORINA TAKEN FROM SERBIANS

Berlin, Aug. 18.—The Teutonic allies have taken the offensive on the Balkan front and captured the Greek town of Florina from Serbian troops, the war office announced to-day.

VANCOUVER OFFICER WINS MILITARY CROSS

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty the Military Cross and promotion to the rank of captain have been awarded to J. B. Mitchell, who for some time was deputy district forester at Vancouver under Timber Inspector George D. McKay.

PASSED AT WASHINGTON.

Washington, Aug. 18.—The House this afternoon adopted the naval bill, carrying \$212,000,000, and authorized the building of 16 capital ships within three years, without a recorded vote. The measure now goes to President Wilson for his signature.

WILHELM WAS IN COLOGNE.

Berlin, Aug. 18.—Returning from his recent trip to the western front, the kaiser stopped at Cologne. He visited the cathedral there.

If kicking and complaining about the hot weather did any good we know some people who would be cool as ice-bergs.

ARE NOT DISPUTING GROUND AS FORMERLY

Indication of Weakening in Morale of Germans on Somme Front

Paris, Aug. 18.—Asked whether there has been a distinct weakening in the morale of the Germans as the great offensive in the Somme region has progressed, a staff captain who arrived from that front this morning replied: "It is hard to say, for two reasons. First, the troops opposite any one point of our line are constantly being renewed, so that what one takes for lowered morale is often the inferior quality of the newcomers, while the next lot may be better. Second, our present system of limiting the advance after a gigantic bombardment has reduced the defenders to such a condition that it is impossible to judge what the morale would be in more equal fighting."

"The only indication seems to be the counter-attacks. If that is a fair criterion, then their morale is weaker, for it is certain the Germans do not dispute the gains as they did before. Doubtless they have learned prudence, but when it comes to counter-attacks, prudence is apt to be the mother of timidity."

TRAIN IN MEXICO HELD UP BY REBELS

El Paso, Aug. 18.—Sixty rebels held up a passenger train on the Mexican National Railway on Tuesday near Aguas Calientes, Durango, taking prisoner the 25 Carranza soldiers comprising the escort, according to passengers aboard the train which arrived here to-day. Two baggagemen were taken captive but the remainder of the crew and passengers were not molested, they said.

The revolutionists, who surrounded the train at a small station, told passengers that they belonged to a recently-organized revolutionary group calling themselves "Legalistas." On their hats they wore ribbons in the red, white and green of Mexico, with the word "Legalista" stamped on them.

WHEAT CLOSED AT TOP AT CHICAGO

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Chicago, Aug. 18.—Further damage reports resulted in a strong and active market again to-day. Opening prices were at an advance of 1 to 1 1/2 cents and the market advanced steadily to the close without any reactionary tendency. Reports from Southeastern Saskatchewan and Manitoba stated that only the early wheat would mature. English estimates the Canadian crop at 190,000 bushels. Last prices were at about top with net gains of from 3 to 4 cents for the day.
Wheat—Open High Low Close
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Dec. 73 73 71 73
May 74 75 74 76
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Rye—
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Barley—
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Glacier Creek 2.00 4.00
Island Investment 2.00 4.00
Union Club deb. new 2.00 4.00
Do. old 2.00 4.00
University School deb. 2.00 4.00
Howe Sound 3.00 4.00
Colonial Pulp 2.00 4.00
Pingra Mines 2.00 4.00

MONTREAL STOCKS

(By F. A. Borden & Co.)
Montreal, Aug. 18.—Trading was not quite so active as yesterday, but the reaction was well maintained and prices advanced sharply in some stocks. Textile common was the strong feature, selling up to 33 and closing at the top. Car Foundry was active and strong but lost most of its advance in the late session. New York was a buyer of Dominion Iron, which advanced with Scotia early in the day, although Scotia was the only steel stock showing a net gain on the day's trading. The close was firm but fractionally below the best. Considerable investment business was noticeable in Power 4 1/2 per cent. bonds and Dominion War Loan.

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Can. Gen. Elec. 115 115 115
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Cons. M. and S. 30 30 30
Crown Reserve 40 40 40
Detroit United 115 115 115
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Dom. I. and S. 55 55 55
Dom. Textile 31 31 31
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Montreal Tram 40 40 40
N. S. Steel com. 125 125 125
Ogilvie Flour Co. 37 37 37
Ottawa Power 35 35 35
Ontario Steel Prod. 40 40 40
Pennana. Ltd. 62 62 62
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Steel of Can. com. 57 57 57
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Toronto Railway 92 92 92
Twins City 92 92 92
Winnipeg Elec. 37 37 37
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WHEAT JUMPED AGAIN AT WINNIPEG TO-DAY

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—Wheat closed 5 1/2 higher for October, 6 1/2 higher for December, and 4 1/2 better for May; oats, 1/2 higher for October and 1/2 better for December; barley, 3/4 higher; flax, 1/2 higher for October, 3/4 for November and 3/4 for December. Though the trade was professional to-day and only of a medium volume, wheat made a sensational advance. The price worked steadily higher during the day and even though the offerings by the profit-takers some times were heavy, they were well absorbed and wheat never looked like weakening. Most of the trade was scaling and spreading. The cause of it all was further reports of damage throughout the prairie provinces. This caused most of the buying. The trade is not in as good hands as a week ago. The cash market saw a good demand for wheat and oats, with light receipts in both. Barley and flax were dull.

Wheat—Open High Low Close
Oct. 142 143 142 143
Dec. 139 140 139 140
May 144 145 144 145
Oats—
Oct. 44 44 43 44
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Barley—
Oct. 44 44 43 44
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Flax—
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Cash prices: Wheat—1 Nor., 1916; 2 Nor., 1917; 3 Nor., 1918; No. 4, 1919; No. 5, 1920; No. 6, 1921; No. 7, 1922; No. 8, 1923; No. 9, 1924; No. 10, 1925; No. 11, 1926; No. 12, 1927; No. 13, 1928; No. 14, 1929; No. 15, 1930; No. 16, 1931; No. 17, 1932; No. 18, 1933; No. 19, 1934; No. 20, 1935; No. 21, 1936; No. 22, 1937; No. 23, 1938; No. 24, 1939; No. 25, 1940; No. 26, 1941; No. 27, 1942; No. 28, 1943; No. 29, 1944; No. 30, 1945; No. 31, 1946; No. 32, 1947; No. 33, 1948; No. 34, 1949; No. 35, 1950; No. 36, 1951; No. 37, 1952; No. 38, 1953; No. 39, 1954; No. 40, 1955; No. 41, 1956; No. 42, 1957; No. 43, 1958; No. 44, 1959; No. 45, 1960; No. 46, 1961; No. 47, 1962; No. 48, 1963; No. 49, 1964; No. 50, 1965; No. 51, 1966; No. 52, 1967; No. 53, 1968; No. 54, 1969; No. 55, 1970; No. 56, 1971; No. 57, 1972; No. 58, 1973; No. 59, 1974; No. 60, 1975; No. 61, 1976; No. 62, 1977; No. 63, 1978; No. 64, 1979; No. 65, 1980; No. 66, 1981; No. 67, 1982; No. 68, 1983; No. 69, 1984; No. 70, 1985; No. 71, 1986; 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FRED. A. CHURCHILL DIES IN NEW YORK

Former Editor of Victoria
Week-End Succumbs to
Infantile Paralysis

Frederick A. Churchill, Jr., formerly editor of the Week-End, a publication which appeared weekly in Victoria for nearly two years, but which closed its offices here in 1913, died suddenly on Wednesday night in New York City from infantile paralysis.

The late Mr. Churchill, who was well known and popular in Victoria, at the time of his death, was in charge of the publication of the Civic Orchestra Society, a musical organization of 35 pieces, of which Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, William Delevan Baldwin, Otto Kahn, James Byrne, Lillian D. Wald and other persons of metropolitan music are supporters. He came naturally by his taste for music, his mother having been an accomplished instrumentalist who studied under Franz Liszt, the famous Hungarian pianist and composer. While in the east he turned his attention to writing librettos, and lately had written the words for "Kalmuckee," which was accepted by the Standard Grand Opera Company for production this fall. In the current number of the Nation's Business, published by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America, he contributed an article, "The Story of Steel," and many of his short stories have appeared in various magazines in the States.

Born in Seattle in 1890 he was 25 years of age. He entered the Washington State University in 1908, was first photographer and afterwards managing editor of the College, and later became editor of the Washingtonian, a literary magazine. When he left college he came to Victoria and started the Week-End, which was particularly devoted to motoring, out-of-doors sports, and items of social interest. When he went back to Seattle he became connected with the staff of the Town Crier, but a year ago last June accepted a place as assistant associate editor of the Iron Trade Review at Cleveland. His ambition was to go into magazine or musical work in New York City, and this he had evidently realized in some measure. The funeral is to be held in Seattle.

SAILORS' PRANKS

Police Kept Busy With Men Who Are on Leave.

Sailors from naval vessels in port kept the police busy last evening with the expression of their boisterous enthusiasm on reaching land again. Although no serious consequences developed, one or two matters involved official intervention.

For instance, it was necessary to remove a man named George Sheppard, one of the crew, to the Jubilee hospital for treatment, as he is suffering from burns. Having soaked his clothing with gasoline from a garage pump on West street, he accidentally ignited himself when lighting a cigarette. The fire was smothered out, not, however, until he had been badly burnt about the face and neck.

Then two sailors from the same ship took a room in a downtown hotel, and late at night two bluejackets and a soldier called on them. The latter stayed half an hour, and when they went, an essential article of one sailor's clothing, containing \$21 in money, was missing, for which the police have instituted a search.

When a man was arrested at Cork, his donkey followed him to the police station; it did not follow him inside, however, thinking, no doubt, that one ass at a time was quite enough.

MORE THAN MILLION MILES OVER GERMANS

Splendid Work Done by British
Airmen on Front
in France

London, Aug. 18.—The splendid work done by the Royal Flying Corps on the front in France, and particularly along the Somme front since the great offensive was started, has caused several of the military observers here to write appreciative articles. The superiority over the Germans of this incalculably valuable branch of the fighting forces is being maintained and increased.

Before the war British measures and machinery for meeting Zeppelins in the air compare with the measures and machinery of the present moment as chaff to cheese. At the beginning the British lacked experience in night flying. They also lacked proper facilities for landing in the dark. Now British flying men are thoroughly experienced night flyers, and have satisfactory arrangements for landing. Moreover, their machines are equipped with very effective guns. On their more recent visits the Zeppelins have been given so hot a time that they are believed not greatly to wish future efforts in this direction.

Dropped Food From Air.
Among the wonderful things accomplished by British aeroplanes during the war is that of dropping food to the British front. This operation was attended by great danger and a considerable number of men was lost.

The day of the British flying man in the "big push" is four to eight hours in other words, he is in the air every day between four and eight hours, constantly under fire. Ordinarily along the British front the flying men are in the air from two to three hours each day. After his flight is finished the aviator has hard ground work to do in keeping all parts of his machine, and especially his engine, in first class condition.

British military aviators use many types of planes, doing four groups of work. There are bombers, fighters, reconnaissance machines, and artillery observers, who also do photographing. The observers for the artillery generally hang between the lines, always under fire. German machines do not come over the British lines frequently. In the "big push" they have been over the British lines scarcely at all, while the British machines go over the German lines continually, though attacked by swarms of Fokkers. There have been cases of two or three British machines accepting battle with as many as twenty Fokkers. It is believed by the British that the Germans have more ground accidents than do the British on account of the fact that the German machines land abruptly.

Many Remarkable Feats.
Perhaps the most dazzling feat of any airman in this war was Warneford's destruction of a zeppelin single handed. Another brilliant and historic British feat was McCubbin's ending of the great career of Immelmann. But the history of the Royal Flying Corps bristles with deeds of dash and daring. These men always are hunting for trouble above the German lines, never declining a combat, fighting however greatly outnumbered. Many are the instances of their chasing German machines to the ground, and firing upon them from a height of fifty feet. From this level they shoot at the Germans as the latter scramble out of their machines. They even land and fight with the enemy on the ground. There are numerous exciting stories of solid chances in the fields.

During one period of two months on the western front, though the weather was almost uniformly bad, and the machines suffered from constant exposure, there were only thirteen days on which reconnaissances were not made from the air. During these two months British flyers covered a distance of approximately 100,000 miles. Up to the present British flying men on the western front must have flown, entirely over the enemy's lines, much more than 1,000,000 miles. British aeroplanes have been known to continue their work when riddled with 200 bullets. Much flying is at low altitude, but reconnaissances are made from a height of 8,000 or 10,000 feet, where shrapnel hits the machines frequently, often in vital spots.

Never Clear of Shrapnel.

Pre-eminently the military air service is the service of tension, of peril, of thrill, of romance. For fighting men on the ground there are moments of relaxation; for fighting men in the air there is not an instant's relaxation. They are under a tremendous strain all the time. It is impossible for them to keep clear of the enemy's shrapnel. They must engage in direct combat with the enemy's flying men. Altogether their problem is exceedingly dangerous and difficult, calling for the most unrelenting exercise of wit, will and muscle.

An absent-minded country gentleman went botanizing one day. Having forgotten his case he examined a large red handkerchief from his pocket. Putting his collected specimens into it he carefully tied them on his arm. Pursuing his way reflectively he came upon a workman looking down a deep trench and swearing most profusely. "My good man," said the shocked person, "do you know who Satan is?" "Me—no; but wait, an' I'll ask my mate. Here, Will, dae ye ken who Satan is?" "No; is there anybody wanting him?" "Ay, here's a man wi' his dinner!"

"Aren't you the boy who was here a week ago, looking for a position?" "Yes sir," "I thought so. And didn't I tell you then that I wanted an older boy?" "Yes sir, that's why I'm here now. I'm older."

VIVID ACCOUNT OF A DUEL IN THE AIR

Young Officer in British Flying
Corps Tells of His First
Reconnaissance

Following is a copy of a letter received in Toronto from a young officer in the British Flying Corps. The author is less than twenty-five years of age.

Dear Dad: I wrote you a short letter a few days ago just to let you know I was all right, and this is another with the same message—though I have more news to relate this time. As I have just returned from a long reconnaissance over the German lines, I had known for some ten days or more past that I was due for the next reconnaissance, but I decided not to tell you about it till I was safely back again, as it might only make you anxious, and would certainly do no good. But now it is all over, and you may as well hear the story. I shan't have another to do for at least three or four months.

We started yesterday morning at 4 o'clock and our objective was three or four towns about twenty-five to thirty miles over the line. There were to be nine machines in all, five F. E.'s and two B. E.'s and two Neuports. The last are very fast scouts, whose job was to chase and attack any hostile machines encountered. They (the Neuports), however, never turned up, and we went without them. Three F. E.'s led the way in line, followed close behind by the other two, and the two B. E.'s (mine was one) brought up the rear. The idea was to fly as closely together as possible, because the Hun won't attack a big formation as a rule, preferring something safer in the shape of a single machine.

All went well at first, and we climbed up to seven thousand feet, keeping well together, and then the leading machine fired a green light, which meant that we were to cross the lines and make for our destination. A few minutes later my machine began to give trouble, and I couldn't get it to climb any higher. By the time we reached the lines I was about one thousand feet lower, and half a mile behind the formation, which ought by rights to have waited for me when they saw I couldn't keep up, but didn't.

Shower of Shells.
A shower of shells greeted us as soon as we got over, but the aim was bad, and we soon got out of range. It took just over an hour to get the information we wanted, and then we started for home. We had just got in sight of the trenches again, some miles ahead, and I was congratulating myself because all the Hun airmen seemed to be asleep, when my observer pointed backwards at something. I looked round and saw a Fokker coming along at a most alarming speed. I signed to him to get the gun ready, and when I looked round again there were two more coming up on either side (another Fokker and a biplane of some sort). They climbed at the most extraordinary speed, and were soon way up above me. I knew I was in for it then, as their game is always to drive you from above, keeping up a running fire all the time. But a moment later I was rather relieved to note that the one Fokker was making for the B. E. ahead of me. Then the fun began.

Pop-pop-pop-pop went the Hun's machine gun behind me, zip-zip-zip came the bullets through my planes, and crash-crash-crash went my own machine gun in reply. This lasted for what seemed an eternity to me, but in reality was probably only a few seconds. Anyway, my observer only fired 40 shots at the nearest Fokker, when he suddenly turned, diving earthwards, and disappeared—I hope hit, but do not know for certain. Meanwhile the Hun biplane continued to attack, and was

What Is Uric Acid?

THE CAUSE OF BACKACHE,
RHEUMATISM, GRAVEL,
AND SUDDEN DEATH.

Ever since the discovery of uric acid in the blood by Scheele, in 1776, and the bad effect it had upon the body, scientists and physicians have striven to rid the tissues and the blood of this poison. Because of its overabundance, guinea pigs and these, rheumatism, gout, gravel, kidney and bladder diseases, and even sudden death. It was Dr. Pierce who discovered a new agent, called "Anuric," which will throw out and completely eradicate this uric acid from the system. "Anuric" has proved to be 37 times more potent than lithia, and consequently you need no longer fear muscular or articular rheumatism or gout, or many other diseases which are dependent on an accumulation of uric acid within the body. Send to Dr. Pierce of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., for a pamphlet on "Anuric," or send 10 cents for a trial package of "Anuric Tablets." If you feel that tired, worn-out feeling, backache, neuralgia, or if your sleep is disturbed by too frequent urination, go to your best drug store and ask for Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets. They are put up in 50-cent packages. Doctor Pierce's reputation is back of this medicine and you know that his "Golden Medical Discovery" for the blood and his "Favorite Prescription" for the life of women have had a splendid reputation for the past fifty years.

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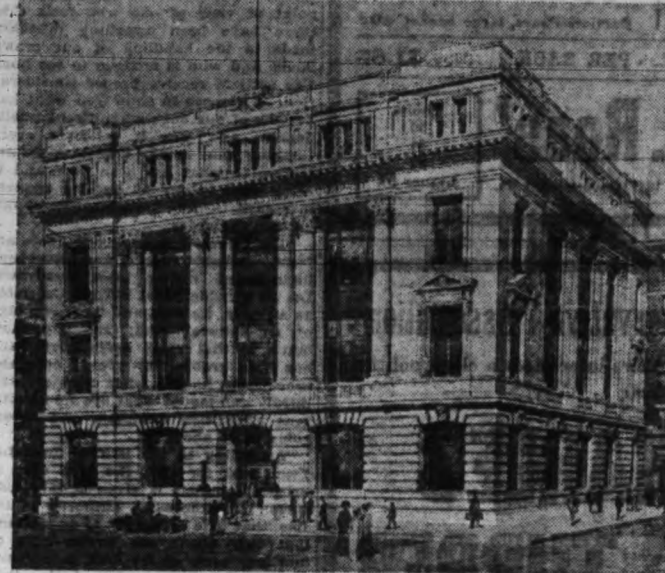
Assets To-day - - - - - Over \$20,000,000
Business in Force - - - - - Over \$125,000,000

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At a gathering of Agents of The Great West Life, Mr. J. D. Atchison, Architect of the Home Office Building, said:

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THE GREAT-WEST LIFE

has been erected. On this page we symbolize the fundamental causes of the Company's great success.

BUSINESS IN FORCE

1892	\$ 862,200
1893	2,268,000
1894	4,233,650
1895	4,934,850

1896	\$ 5,775,704
1897	6,912,982
1898	8,152,989
1899	10,263,259
1900	11,845,560

1901	\$13,415,599
1902	15,289,547
1903	18,023,639
1904	20,611,399
1905	24,216,882

1906	\$27,925,460
1907	35,258,887
1908	39,865,786
1909	45,990,686
1910	66,925,127

1911	\$ 67,969,432
1912	83,978,739
1913	97,048,714
1914	108,221,932
1915	119,466,067

ASSETS

1892	\$124,825
1893	140,014
1894	195,189
1895	240,686

1896	\$316,629
1897	410,122
1898	554,218
1899	723,189
1900	948,802

1901	\$1,194,329
1902	1,536,836
1903	2,110,785
1904	2,557,983
1905	3,149,359

1906	\$3,947,620
1907	4,925,557
1908	5,996,212
1909	6,865,725
1910	8,449,810

1911	\$10,453,071
1912	12,251,981
1913	14,382,656
1914	16,736,444
1915	19,204,545

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